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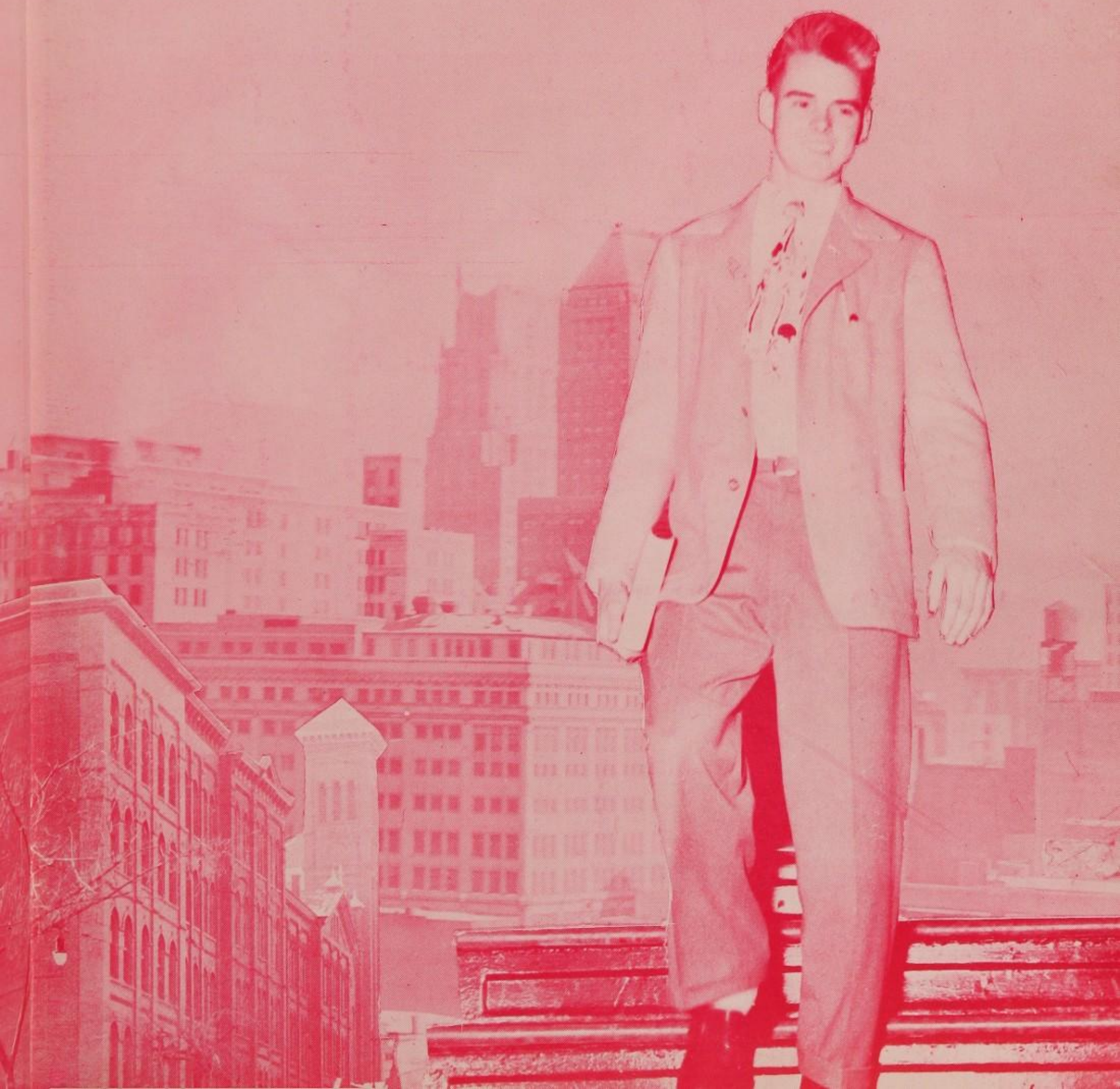
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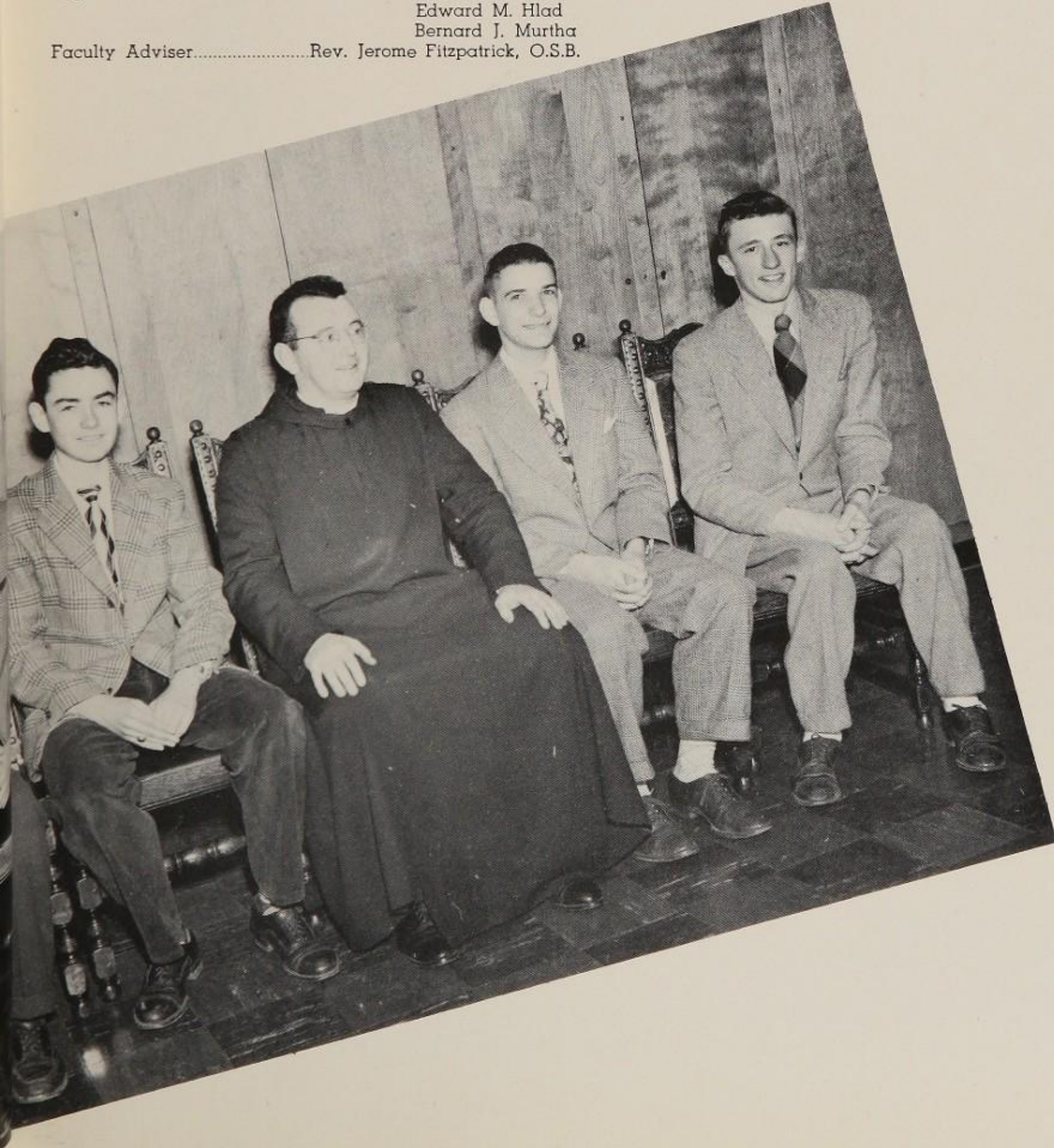
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HOLY FATHER BENEDICT INTERCEDE FOR US

"Peace—Pray and work, that in all things God may be glorified."

St. Benedict, patron of our school, died in 547. This year our Holy Father Pope Pius XII made special commemoration of the fourteenth centenary of the death of the Holy Patriarch by giving to the world his Encyclical Letter, **Fulgens Radiatur**, (Like a Star in the Night). This document showers praise and encomiums upon the work and influence of the founder of Benedictine Monasticism. This **man of God** was raised up to fulfill a definite need in his time—to reestablish an exemplary mode of Christian life. Under Divine inspiration he founded an institution to perpetuate and safeguard the Christian life after the communal manner of the early Christians. Through the ages the sons of St. Benedict have continually sought to carry out his principles by their unremitting labours. Not least among these is their work in the field of education.

The Great St. Benedict has just as vital a message for us today as he had for the sixth century Christians. We know of no better epitome of his modern message than the recent Encyclical on the **Patriarch of the West**. As a golden thread weaves through a tapestry, so this commentary unifies the pages of the 1948 Telog. We present Benedict's message mingled with our scholastic memoirs.

THE RULE OF OUR HOLY FATHER BENEDICT

Listen o my son to the precepts of thy master and
cheerfully incline the ear of thy heart and receive and
faithfully execute the admonitions of thy loving Father...

prologue

Laziness is the enemy of the soul therefore the brethren
ought to be employed in manual labor at certain
times at other times in devout reading...

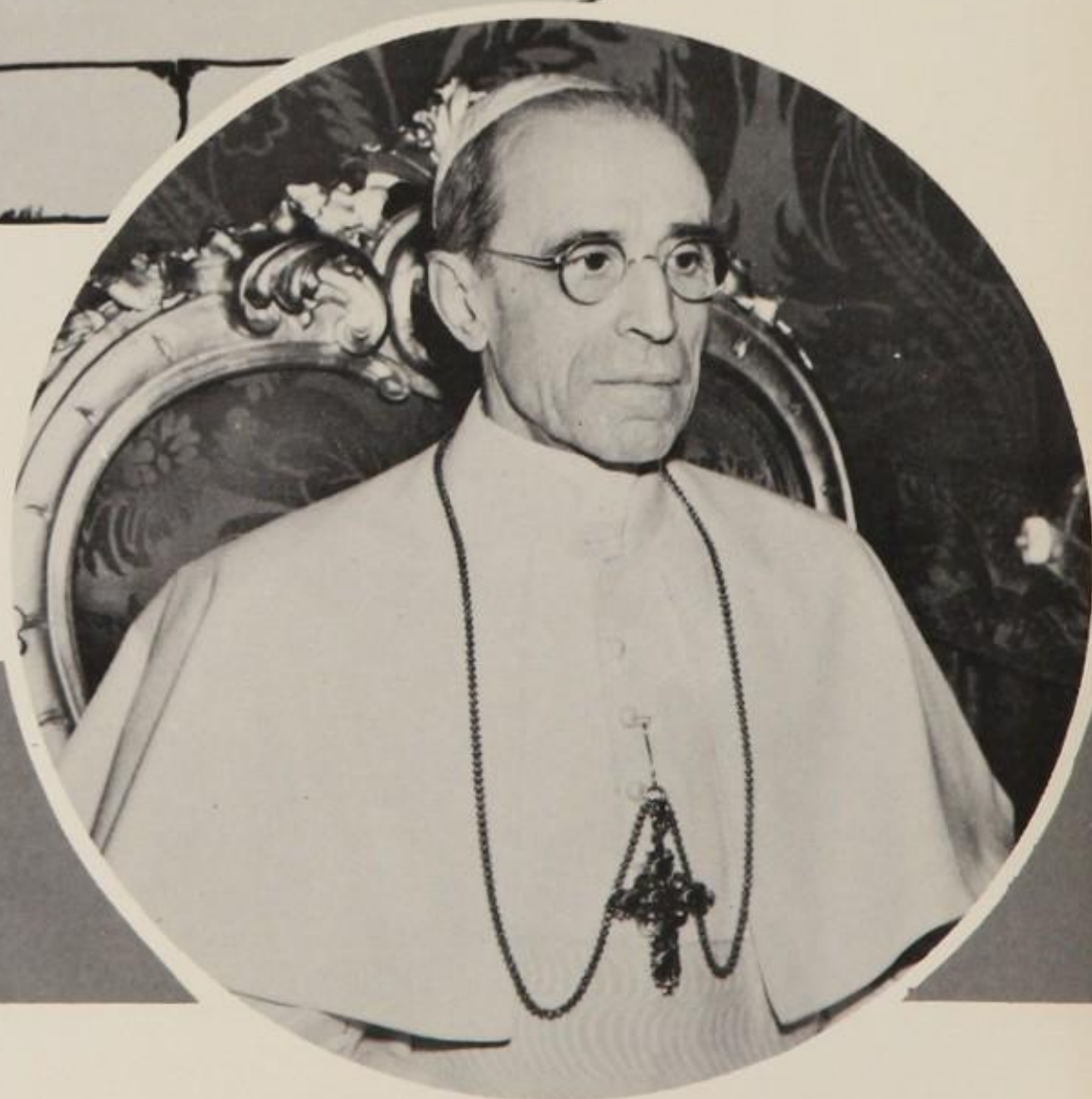
chap. XLVIII

Let them work at their art in all humility... that in
all things God may be glorified.

Let them prefer nothing to Christ and may he
lead us all together to life everlasting.

chap. XXXII

Thou therefore who hastenest to the heavenly home
with the help of Christ fulfill this least rule
written for a beginner.



VENERABLE BRETHREN, HEALTH AND APOSTOLIC BENEDICTION:

"Like a star in the darkness of the night, Benedict of Nursia brilliantly shines, a glory not only to Italy but of the whole Church. In the providential designs of God he emerged from a dark century when the position and fate of civilization as well as of the Church and of civil society was in danger of collapse. We are happy, Venerable Brethren, to treat briefly in this Encyclical Letter the part played by Benedict in this renewal and restoration; for this year, it would seem fourteen centuries have elapsed since he happily exchanged this earthly exile for his heavenly country after innumerable labours for God's glory and man's salvation.

All who are not blinded by prejudice but examine events in the light of history and judge fairly, must recognize what a beneficial influence the power and strength of the Benedictine Order had in that early period, and how great many benefits it conferred on succeeding generations. For besides the fact, as We said already, that the sons of Benedict were almost alone in that dark age of profound ignorance and turmoil, in preserving the codices of literature and learning, in translating them most faithfully and commenting on them, they were also among the pioneers in practising and promoting the arts, science and teaching.

It is not only the by gone ages that had reason to profit from the benefits of this Patriarch; our own age has many important lessons to learn from him. Let those first of all who belong to his numerous family learn—to follow daily ever more closely in his illustrious footsteps and let each reduce to the practice of ordinary life the principles and example of his virtue and sanctity.

Furthermore, all the classes of society, if they studiously and seriously examine the life, teaching and glorious achievements of St. Benedict, cannot but fall under the influence of his gentle but powerful inspiration; indeed they will spontaneously recognize that even our age troubled and anxious for the vast material and moral ruins, perils and losses that have been heaped up, can borrow from him the needed remedies. Let those therefore who labor in trades as well as those who are busy in the pursuit of literature and learning remember that they are performing a most noble task in winning their daily bread; they are not only providing for themselves and their best interests but can be of service to the entire community. Let them toil, as the Patriarch Benedict admonishes, with mind and soul elevated towards heaven, working not by force but through love.

—To each of you Venerable Brethren, to the entire flock entrusted to your care, and to the whole family of monks which glories in this law-giver as master and parent, We impart, with great affection as a token of heavenly grace and a testimony of Our good-will, the Apostolic Benediction.

Given at Rome, at St. Peter's, on the feast of St. Benedict, the twenty-first day of March, in the year 1947, the ninth of Our Pontificate.

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COMMEMORATION



OFFICERS OF THE ADMINISTRATION

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"laborious and tireless activity—

THE FACULTY



Father Headmaster plans the next activity.

Father Mathew chats with distinguished visitors from Prinknash Abbey, England.

After a busy day at the office.

Comparing the '47 and the '48 Telologs.

"What can we do with those seniors."

"He is too noisy in my class."

"A busy life, whether employed in the fields, in the profitable trades or in the liberal arts does not demean the mind but elevates it; does not reduce it to slavery but more truly gives it a certain mastery and power of direction over even the most difficult circumstances." These words of the Holy Pontiff help to give us an insight into the lives of the members of our Faculty. While they seek God under the direction of the Rule of St. Benedict, the "Labora" admonition of the Holy Patriarch is made clear to us by their labors in the classroom. We owe them our all, for they have sacrificed that we may attain Christian perfection. The Class of '48 salutes you, the Faculty of St. Benedict's. We will never be able to repay in gratitude your interest in us. May you ever be protected under God by the admonitions of your Holy Founder, that others such as we may profit by your word and example.

—to give to others the fruit of contemplation—"



OUR PRESIDENT

"An Abbot who is worthy to rule over the monastery ought always to remember what he is called, and correspond to his name of superior by his deeds. For he is believed to hold the place of Christ in the monastery, since he is called by His name, as the Apostle saith: 'Ye have received the spirit of the adoption of children, in which we cry Abba, Father.' " (Holy Rule Chap. II.)

We have been adopted as children of the Benedictine Abbey of Newark under the paternity of Father Abbot Patrick. His example, his zeal for the welfare of his children both monastic and scholastic, and his holiness have been an inspiration to all of us. We have known him to carry out the precepts of St. Benedict as a loving father; we have known him as a zealous prelate of the Church of God; and we have known him as a teacher and leader of men. It has been an honor and a privilege to have been under his paternal influence for our four years at St. Benedict's.

We pray that Almighty God may bless, protect and guide our Father Abbot in the years to come. May the guidance of the monastic community under his care be ever blessed with a zeal for the salvation of souls, and may the students of St. Benedict's continue to profit spiritually and materially under his kindly direction.

"to govern his disciples by Love rather



THE RIGHT REVEREND ABBOT PATRICK M. O'BRIEN, O.S.B.

than dominate them by fear" . . .

HEADMASTER



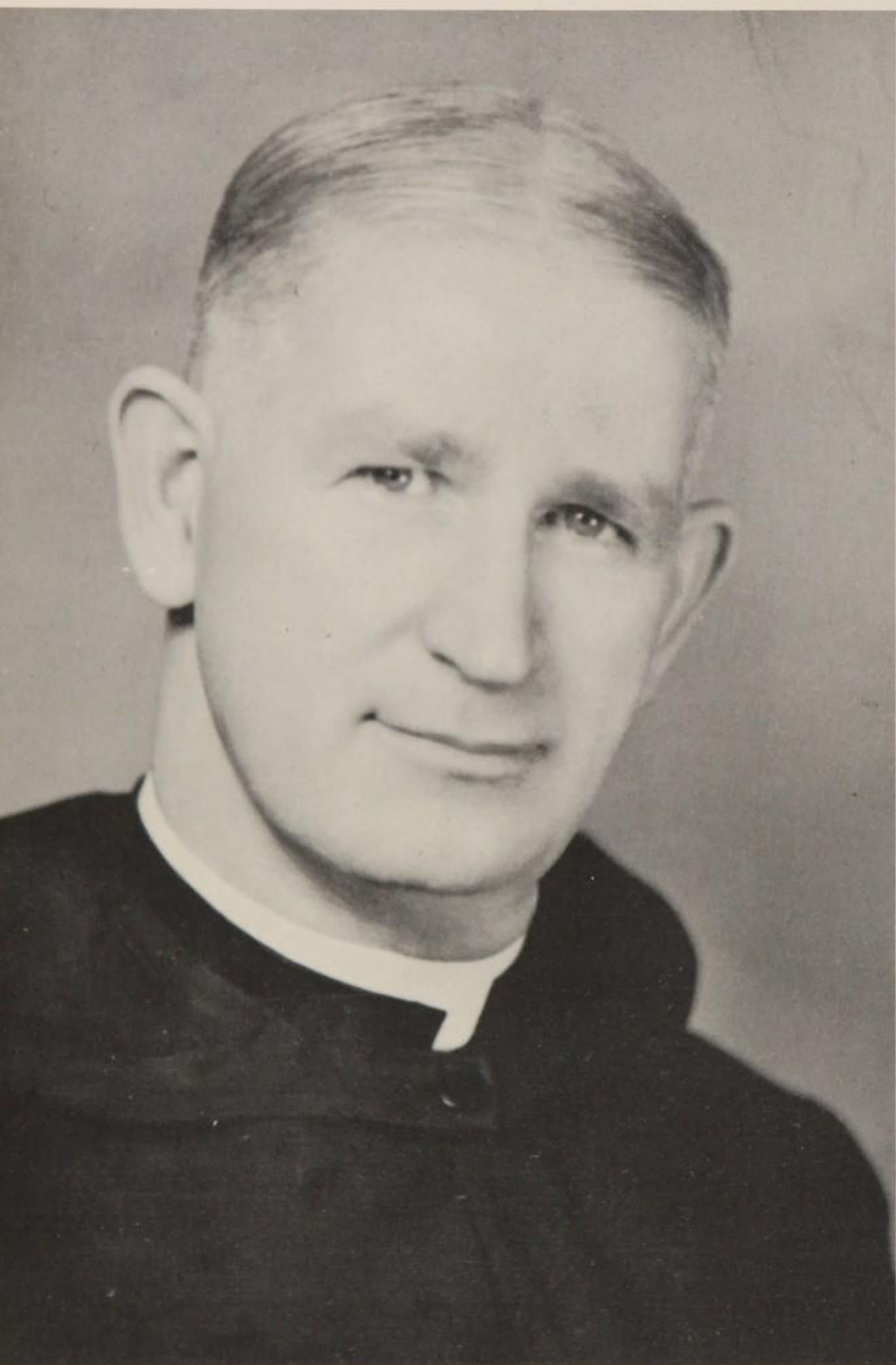
REV. GERALD FLYNN, O.S.B.

A true friend, an excellent teacher, and one who throughout our four years at the Bee Hive has been a constant source of inspiration . . . these are thoughts which come to mind when we think of our beloved Headmaster. In our Freshman and Sophomore years Father Gerald guided us as the Dean of Studies; in our Junior year he was appointed to his present position. His accomplishments are many, but his fine sense of humor has endeared him to every student and enabled him to fill his position capably.

We shall long remember Father Gerald as a Headmaster of ability whose chief concern was always the welfare of the students. He has given himself to God as a Benedictine that we might have the spiritual and material advantages of a Christian education. To you, Father Gerald, the Class of '48, extends its sincere appreciation.

... the power of authority is wielded

DEAN OF DISCIPLINE



REV. TIMOTHY DWYER, O.S.B.

The rod of discipline is wielded with firmness but kindness and understanding are not to be found wanting. Our beloved Father Timothy has ever been guided by the Holy Rule in his admonitions to us as the Dean of Discipline. In his friendly little courtroom many cases of disobedience and minor infractions of the rule have been settled by the hand of justice. His word is law around the halls of "520". The task of keeping the "Gray Bee" quiet and orderly is a difficult one, but this kindly Father does a noble job. His humor and friendly advice have made our four years happy ones. We have been fortunate to have so sagacious a disciplinarian as Father Tim to guide, direct, and mold us according to true Christian principles. Our appreciation will grow with the years.

... correction is given with firmness but clemency and benignity hold sway

SENIOR MODERATOR



**REV. JEROME FITZPATRICK
O.S.B.**

To the Seniors this man needs no introduction, but to those of you who will read this volume, it is our pleasure to introduce Father Jerome, our Senior Class Moderator. Through his efforts this work has been made possible. The task of molding our class into a unified force for social, educational, and spiritual activity was a difficult one, but he has accomplished this end by his persistent encouragement and cooperation. He expended his energies to lead us through the maze of problems of government and history. Our year has been a pleasant one, and we extend to him our gratitude.



let all be subject to the same discipline according to their desert.



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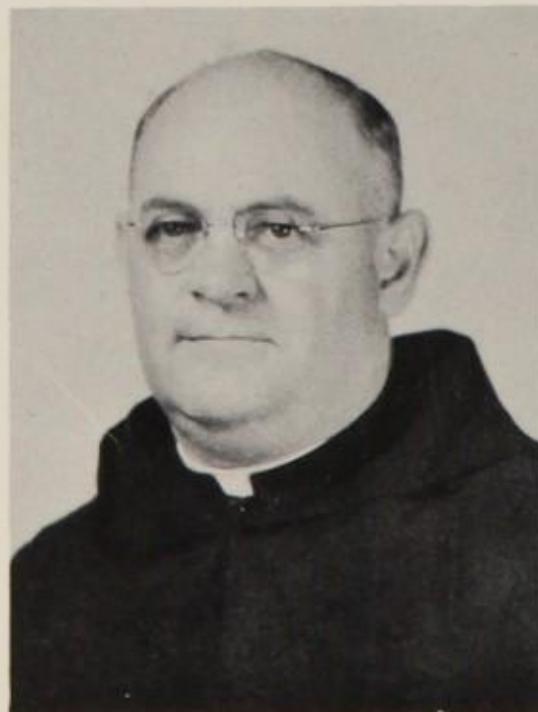
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or intellectual pursuits, all should strive

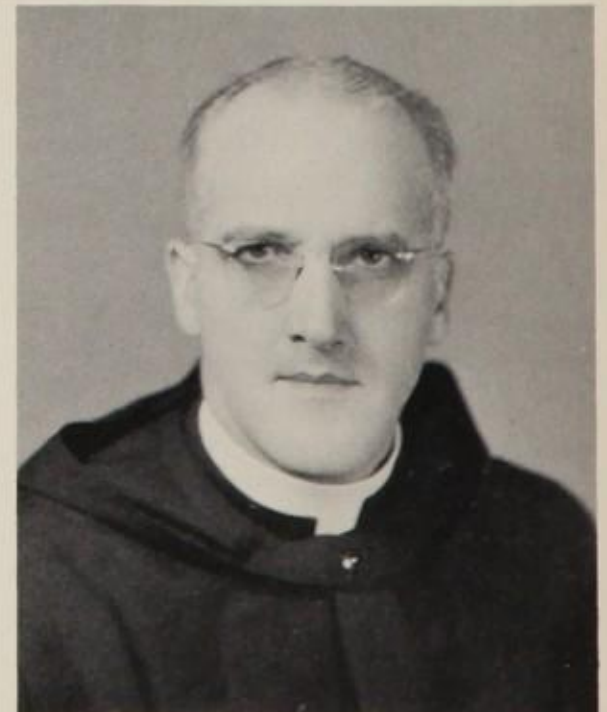
having that as their chief concern,



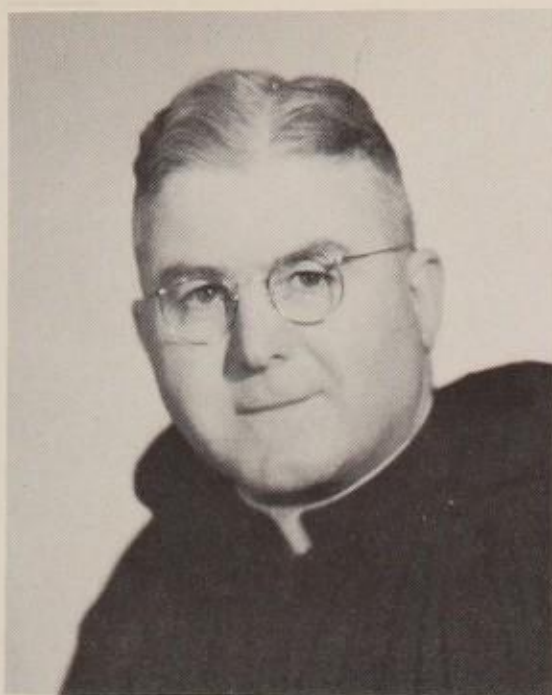
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A black and white portrait of a middle-aged man with a receding hairline and glasses. He is smiling and looking towards the camera. He is wearing a dark suit jacket over a white collared shirt and a dark tie. His hands are clasped together on a dark surface, likely a desk. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

way of life that while engaged in manual

continually to lift their hearts to Christ

and to burn with perfect Love of Him.



A black and white portrait of a young man with dark hair, wearing a dark clerical garment with a white collar. He is looking directly at the camera with a neutral expression. The background is a plain, light-colored studio backdrop.

A black and white portrait of a middle-aged man with short, light-colored hair, wearing glasses and a dark clerical garment with a white collar. He is looking directly at the camera with a neutral expression. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

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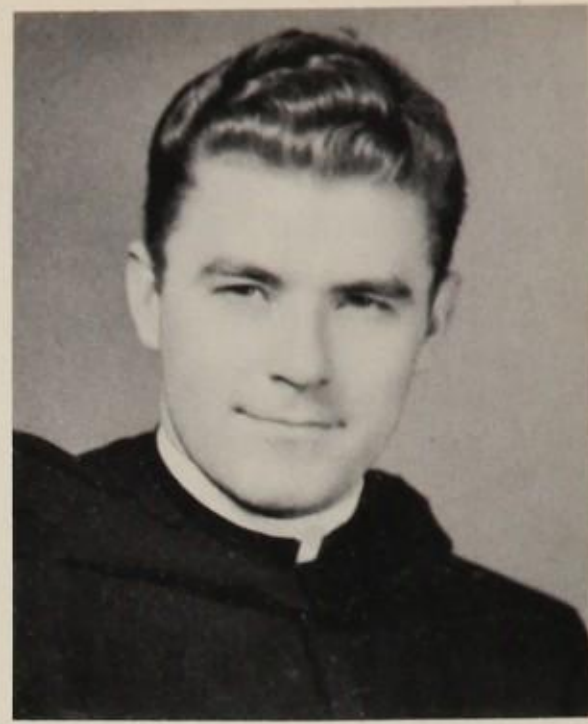
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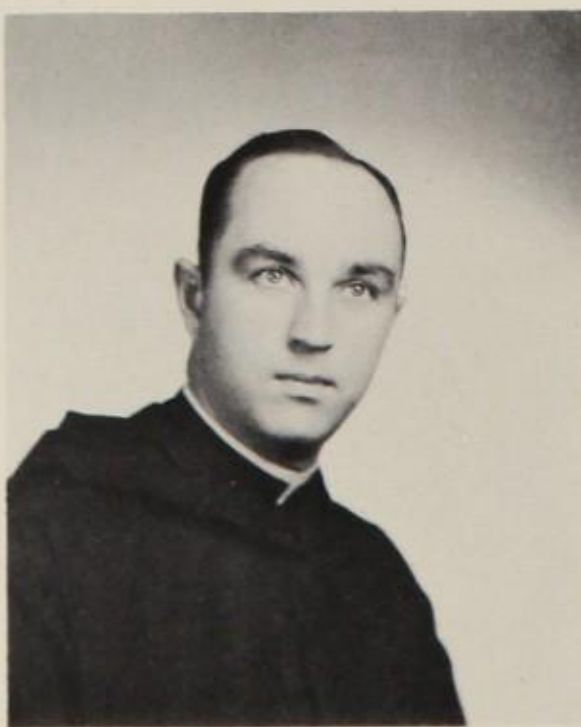
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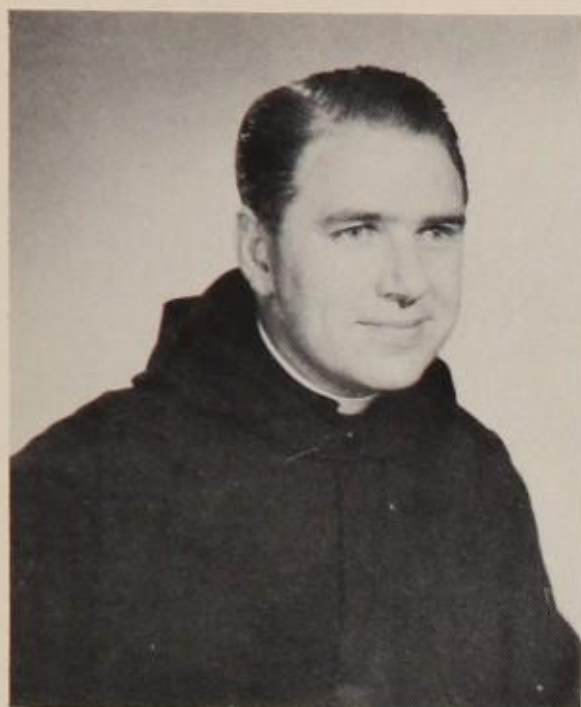
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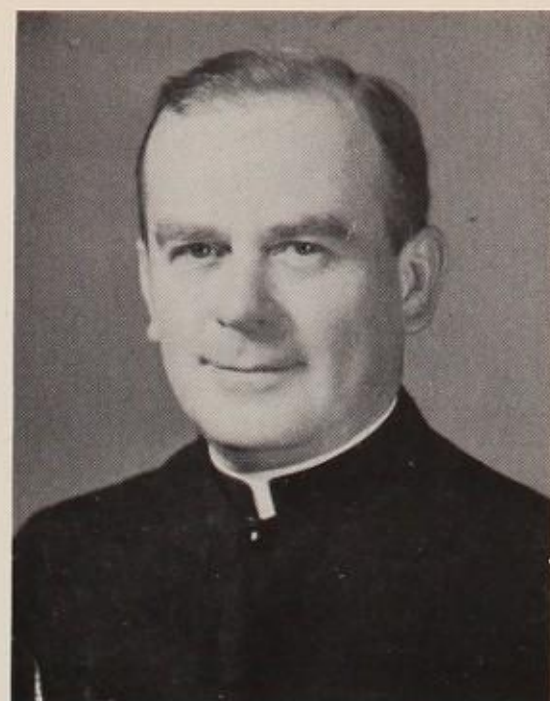
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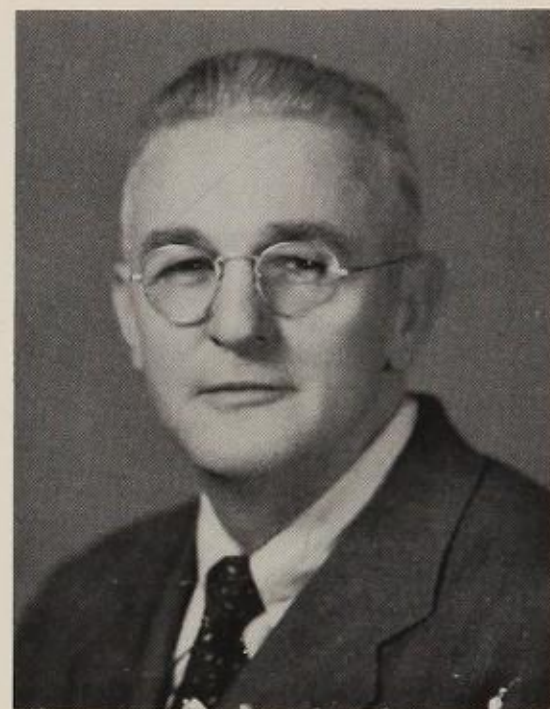
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Intramural League Director
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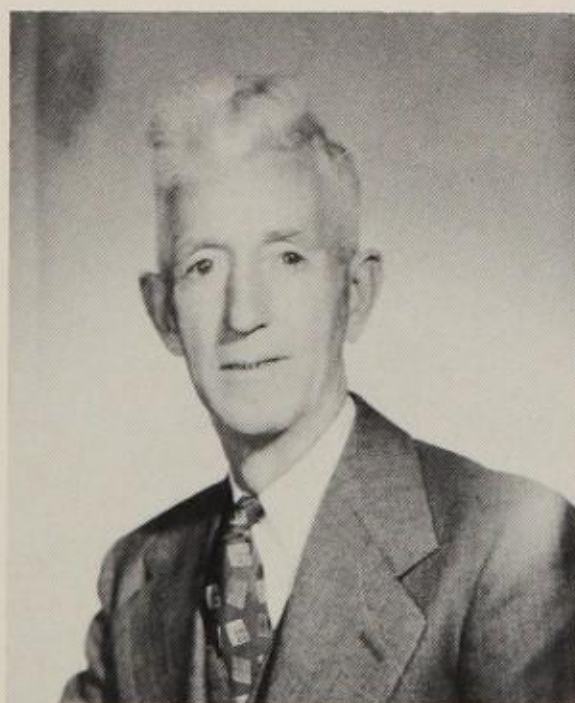
man which God created for Himself;



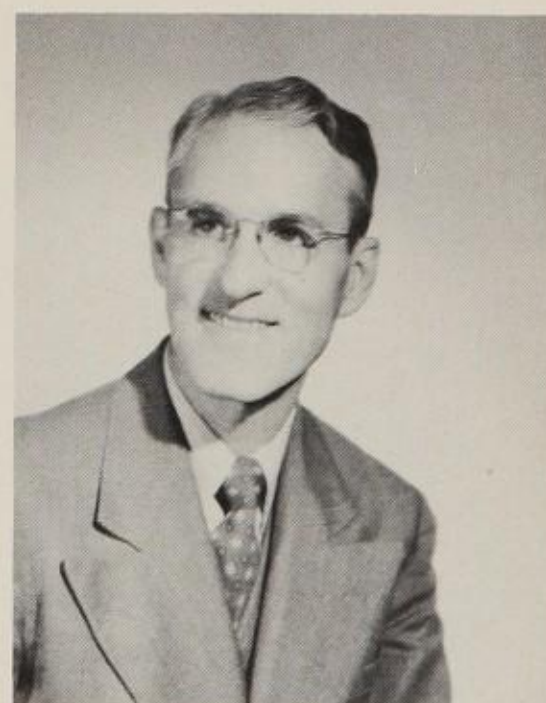
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Rather their function

Creator is to move and lift us by

Fr. Justin instructs

Time passes; I pass





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Wrestling Coach, Assistant Football
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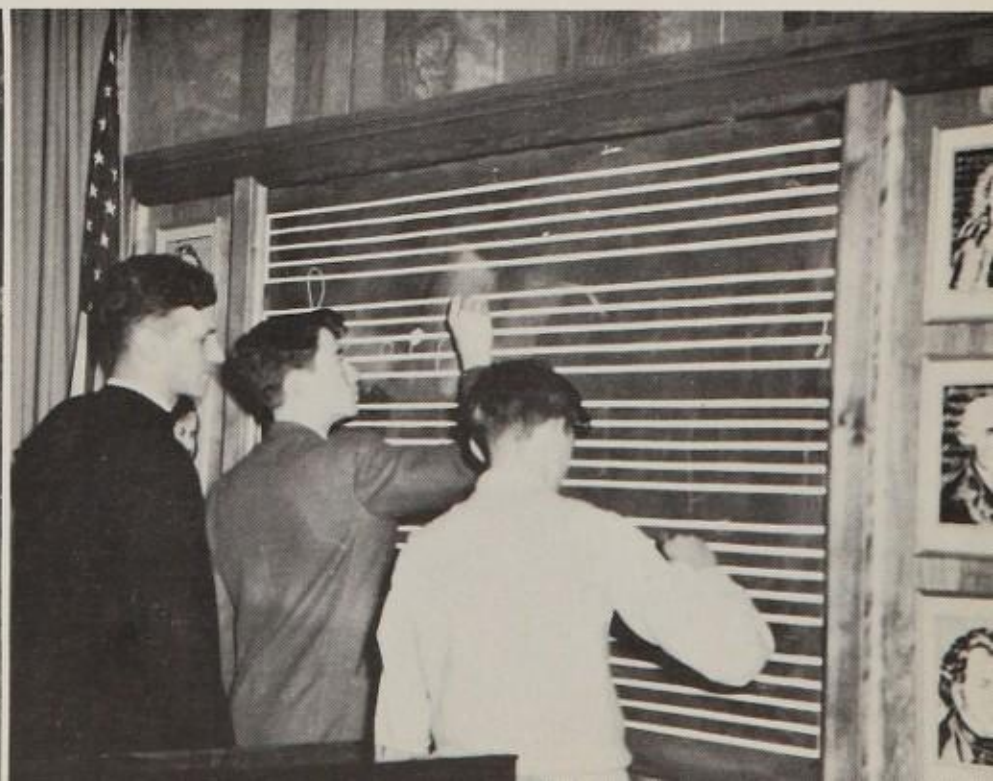
given them by their

gradual steps to the possession of God.

The Faculty at the Christmas Assembly



Lessons in Music





SENIOR OFFICERS

First Row: R. Freeman, Treasurer; J. Griggs, President; Father Jerome, Moderator; J. Grimm, Vice-President; R. Flanagan, Secretary.

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SAINT BENEDICT

Benedict proved the perennial

THE SENIOR CLASS



Why take the books home?

Always eating; never full

Casting a ballot for Class elections

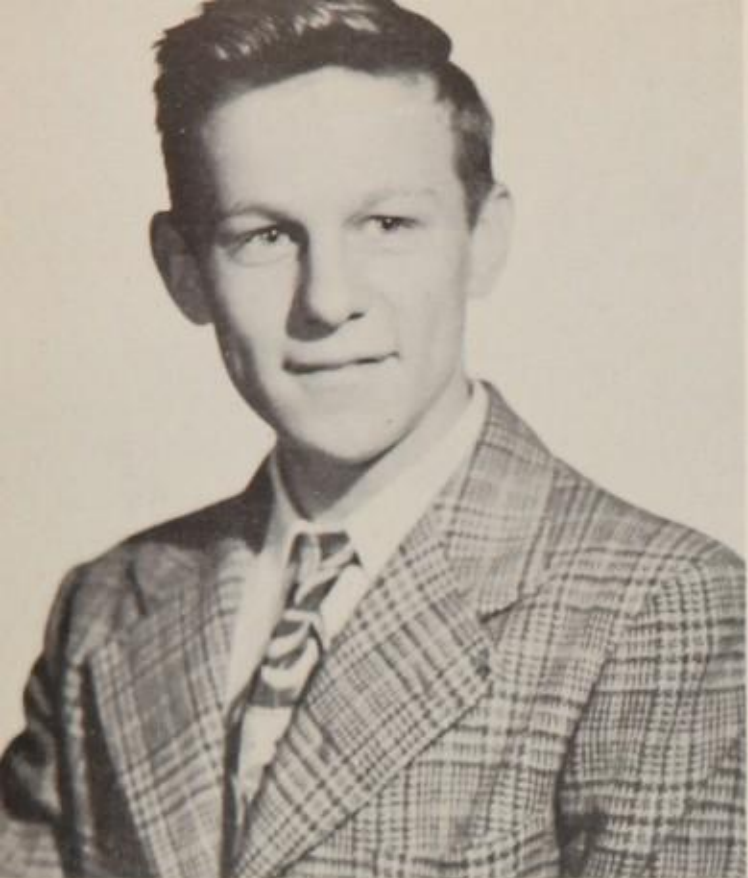
Seniors 48 strong

What interest; must be P.A.D.

Sun bath on the CAMPUS

Apprehensive of what was to come we entered the Bee Hive as lowly freshmen four years ago. Our fears were unfounded for we soon realized that the good Benedictine Monks were placed over us to instruct, guide and mold us into real Christian gentlemen. This task they have accomplished despite our inclinations to the contrary. We didn't appreciate what was being done for us at the time, but now we realize why it was difficult. Our appreciation cannot be expressed in words; it will grow with the years that the Spirit that is Benedict's will flourish forever.

youth of the Church by his outstanding sanctity and work



LOUIS JOSEPH AMEIKA

225 Broadway

Newark

Lou is the senior most likely to become a "Top-Notch Comedian." In his four years at the Bee Hive he has made his friends with good honest laughter and is one of the best liked boys in the class. He is a friend of everyone, and is always willing to go out of his way to lend a helping hand with school work or other matters. Together with being popular he is ranked in the top third of his class scholastically. St. Benedict's is proud to have known him and we wish Lou every success.

WALTER FRANCIS BARBER

26 Marne Street

Newark

Walt, known to every student for his work in the Disciplinarian's Office, was liked by all for his amiable personality and friendly disposition. His diligence and industry was indeed an inspiration. We have known him as a fine student and a good ball player. The success that was his here at the Hive, we wish him a hundred fold for the future.

Honor Man 2-3; Intramural Basketball 2-3-4; Benedict News 3.



CHARLES GEORGE BELBER

456 Grove Street

Montclair

It cannot be denied that "Tex" is one of the outstanding members of the Senior class. His ambition and ingenuity enabled him to combine activity in class affairs with scholastic achievement, in which field he made his mark as an honor man. His unrivaled personality was a factor which guided his classmates to elect him Junior class representative. Judging from his past achievements we can foresee nothing but success for Charlie in his future endeavors.

Honor Man 1-2-3; Class Representative 3; Junior Dance Committee; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 4.



"Like a star in the darkness of night, Benedict of Nursia

EUGENE JOHN BEREZA

766 South 14th Street

Newark

Popular among his classmates and always ready to help a friend in need, Gene has been a foremost supporter of school activities. The proverb, "When you need something done ask a busy man," fits him well. An excellent student and a fine ball player, he found time to make the Telolog a success. Typical Benedict spirit pervades his every activity. We wish him much success and happiness in the future.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2; Rifle Club 1-2-3; Telolog Staff; Sophomore Basketball Manager.



JOHN DANIEL BLEWITT

424 Verona Avenue

Elizabeth

A credit to the Class of '48, honor man for four years, top-notch basketball player, and a fine friend . . . these are the qualities that stand out in our minds when we think of our fellow student, Jack Blewitt. Always an amiable companion, he has shown himself to be a leader in class and in athletic competition. During his four-year stay at St. Benedict's Jack always averaged high in studies, and during the same period he played constantly good intramural basketball. We are sure he will be successful in whatever he chooses for the future.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Freshman Basketball Team; Sophomore Basketball Team; Varsity Basketball 4.

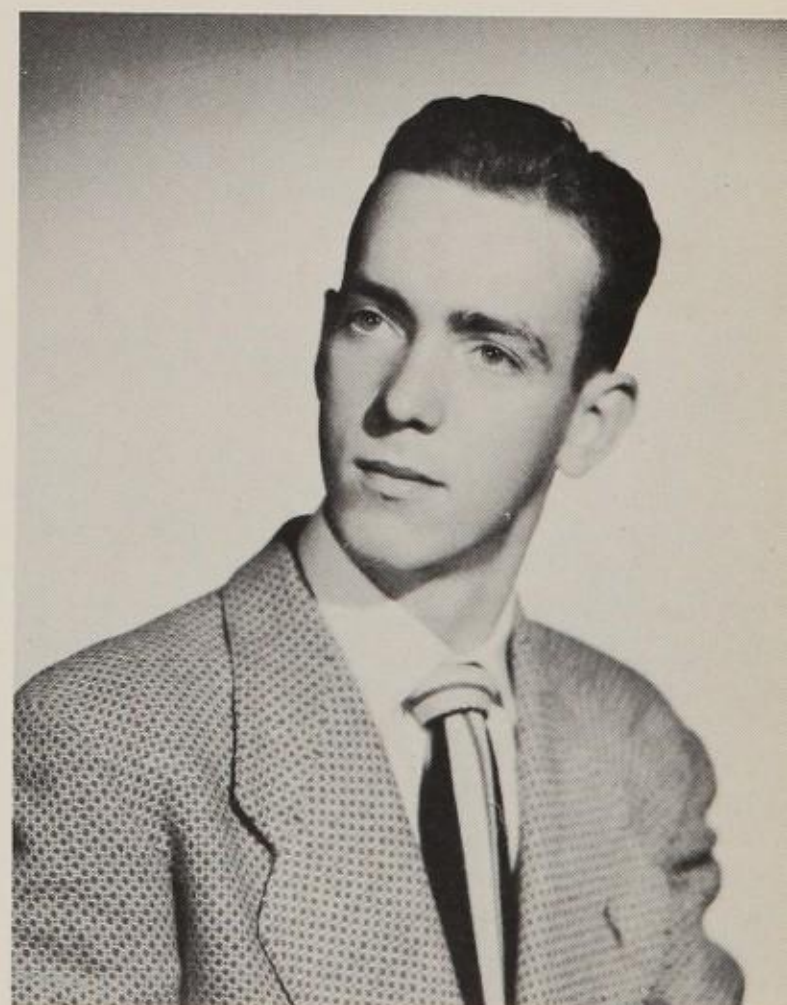
WILLIAM JOSEPH BOGUT

99 Hamilton Street

Harrison

Bill is another resident of that much-talked-about town across the river, Harrison. Through his good humor and zeal he has done much to make the class of '48 one of the top-ranking classes in Benedict's history. Above average in his studies, and a valuable man in the intramural basketball league, Bill combines sports with his academic endeavors. He plans to go to college, and with a personality such as his, there is no doubt that he will be successful.

Intramural Basketball 3-4; Intramural Handball 4; Jeffersonians 4.



brilliantly shines, a glory not only to Italy but of the whole Church.

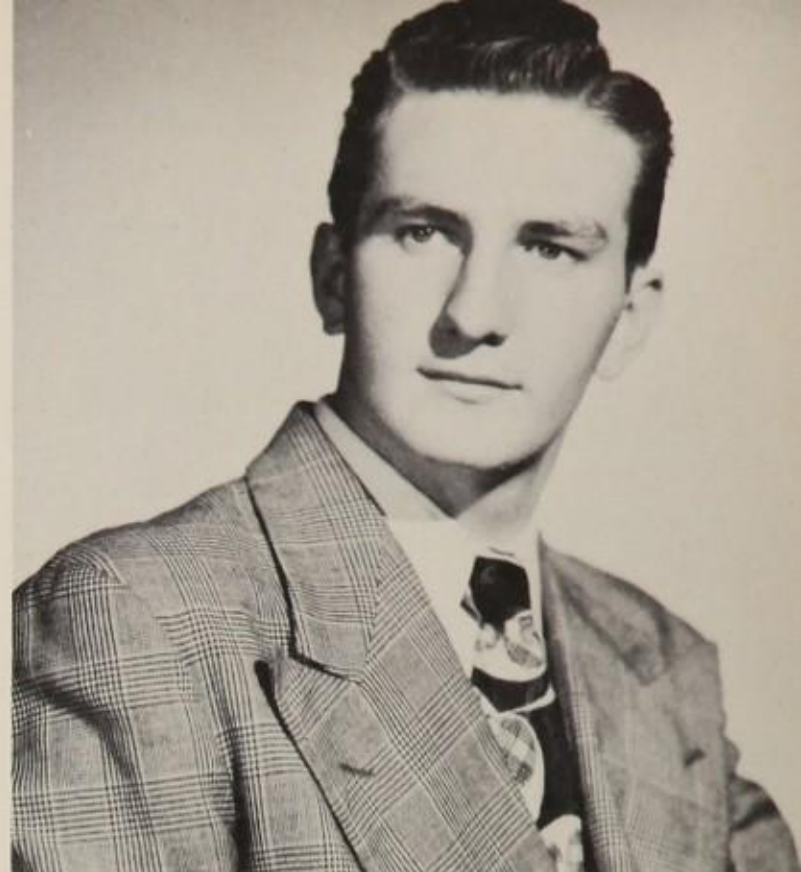
JOSEPH TIMOTHY BREUNIG

24 Fleetwood Place

Newark

Possessing an outstanding sense of humor and a friendly disposition, Joe has made our four years most enjoyable. His love for athletics was shown by his participation in varsity football, baseball and basketball. Always serious in school work, "the Brun" has maintained a high scholastic average. A supporter of activities he has been one of the spark-plugs of the class. We predict nothing but success for Joe in the future.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Varsity Football 3-4; J. V. Football 2; Monogram Club; J. V. Basketball 3; J. V. Baseball 1-2; Class Representative 1; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.



THOMAS PHILIP BROWN

49 Duke Street

Kearny

Coming from Kearny as a freshman, Tom has made a host of friends here at the Bee Hive. An all around fellow he has always a cheerful smile and a well placed remark to brighten up the dullest hour. He towers both scholastically and socially as a true son of St. Benedict's. We, his classmates, wish him all the success possible in the field of his choice.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.

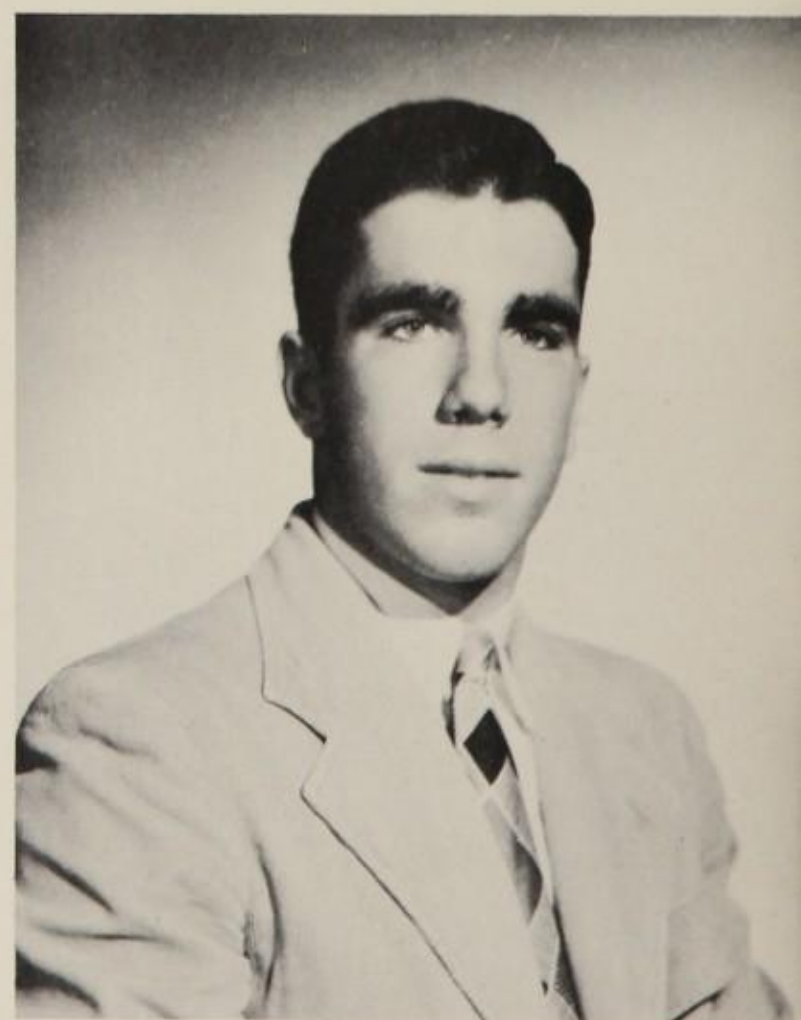
RICHARD BARKER BURNS

24 Grumman Avenue

Newark

"Dick" has been a familiar figure to both students and faculty alike. Always ready with a helping hand or a witty remark, he has been popular throughout the school. This popularity was shown by his election as a class officer during his junior year, and to class representative in the senior year. A good athlete, Dick has been a varsity football player for the last two years. A student of exceptional merit, Dick can be sure that he will be well remembered by his friends and classmates as he travels the long road of life.

Class Secretary 3; Class Representative 4; Junior Dance Committee; Varsity Football 3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 2-3; Monogram Club 3-4; J. V. Football 2.



Born in the Province of Nursia of honorable parentage,



WILLIAM EDWARD CANNON

340 Chestnut Street

Kearny

Bill, as he is known at the Bee Hive, is a very quiet but active young man. The great collection of friends and companions he has gained argue well for him. In his studies he was graded high, placing among the top students in English and French. Always ready to give his best to help in any way, Bill will be missed by one and all. He leaves behind him an enviable record because of his ability to do his best. Best wishes, Bill.

Intramural Basketball 1; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 4; Benedict News 1.

ANGELO VINCENT CANTABENE

247 North 17th Street

Bloomfield

Angelo, known as "Skippy" to his classmates, hails from that great little town of Bloomfield. Although one of the more quiet and reserved members of our class he has often enlivened our discussions with amusing stories of his experiences. Angelo worked diligently to make the Rifle Club a success and was elected treasurer of the Club in his junior year. In his senior year "Skippy" became one of our foremost wrestlers. We wish Angelo the best of everything in his future undertaking.

Rifle Club 1-2-3, Treasurer 3; Wrestling 4.



PAUL LEO CARROLL

13 Creston Avenue

Union

Paul is one fellow who has helped to make our stay at the Bee Hive happy, for he was a friend to all. His flashing smile and personality made everyone feel at ease. As a member of the cross country team Paul helped bring glory upon himself and St. Benedict's. His fighting spirit and outstanding humor make him one classmate whose memory we will always cherish and hold dear.

Indoor Track 4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Outdoor Track 3-4; Cross Country 4; Monogram Club.

he was filled with the spirit of all justice—



WILLIAM MATTHEW CARROLL

607 Walsh Avenue

Orange

Bill is one of the representatives of that famous town of Orange. His popularity was attested to by his election as class representative in his Senior year. Ready and willing to help anyone in need, he has always taken an active part in all of the extra-curricular activities of the school. Bill goes forth into the world of the future carrying with him our wishes for success and happiness.

Class Representative 4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Senior Dance Committee.

JOSEPH GABRIEL CASTAGNA

73 Trask Avenue

Bayonne

Friendliness, small stature, and an abundance of personality, characterizes our friend, Joe. Although this is Joe's first year at the Bee Hive it did not take him long to establish himself as a real fellow and a true friend. He came from St. Peter's Prep, where he excelled in football and track. Because of his knowledge and interest in trigonometry, he intends to go to Stevens Institute of Engineering. To him we wish all the luck in the world.

Varsity Football 4.



JOSEPH MICHAEL CATOV

174 West Emerson Avenue

Rahway

Although an easy going fellow, Joe has been a participant in extra-curricular activities and an excellent student. He has been a member of The Supreme Court of the Jeffersonians, a columnist on the Benedict News, and was elected class representative in his senior year. His unaffected manner and pleasant smile make him a friend of all. An excellent dancer and a smooth-talker, Joe has become one of the most popular members of the class. We can wish only more success for Joe in the future.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Class Representative 4; Senior Dance Committee; Wrestling 3; Wrestling Manager 4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 2; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 3-4; Benedict News 3-4.



He desired only to please God in a virtuous life.

LAWRENCE ANTHONY CECERE

204 North Tenth Street

Newark

One of the most dependable fellows in our class is Larry. He will be remembered not only for his outstanding ability in the classroom but also for his loyal support of every school and class activity. Serious by nature he is nevertheless a faithful and valuable friend. Larry has truly been a worthwhile asset to our class. We wish him the best of luck in the future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 4.



DANIEL PAUL CLAYTON

577 High Street

Newark

Dan, a very quiet fellow, spends most of his time here at the Hive, for he lives just a few doors from the school. He never has much to say but what he does is well worth listening to. A conscientious student, he is ever ready with a creditable recitation. When Dan receives his diploma we will lose a gentleman and a fine sportsman. We wish his future to be as bright as his past has been while with us.

Honor Man 3; Junior Dance Committee; Intramural Basketball 1-2-4; Forum 1-4.

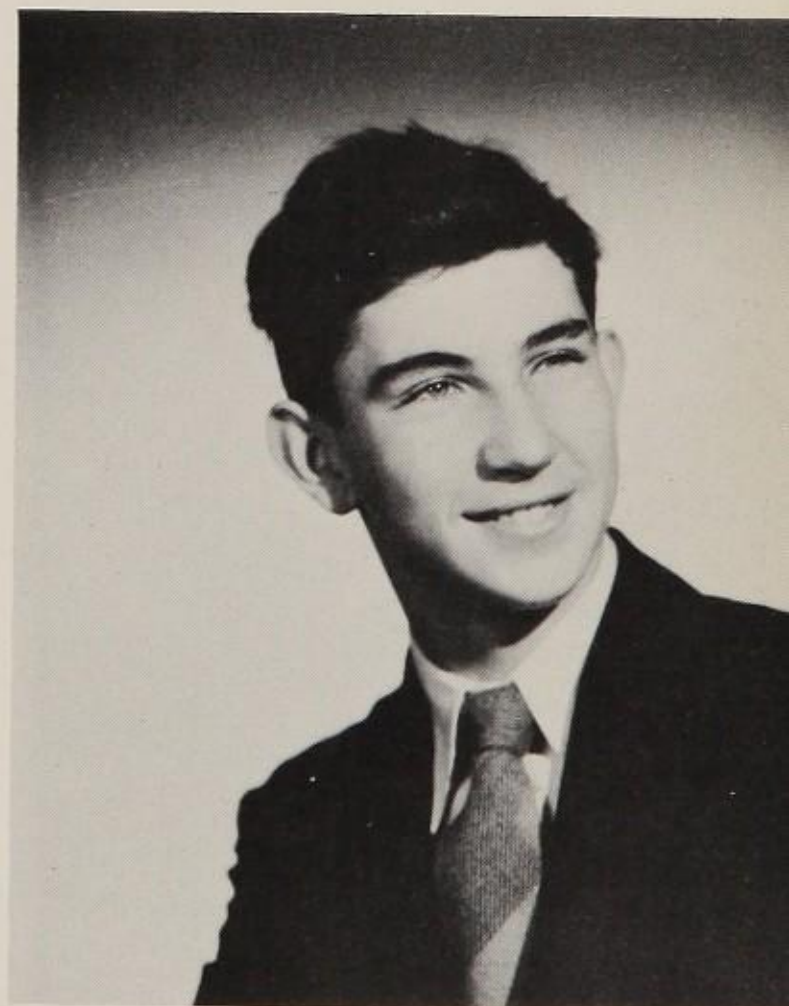
MARK PHILIP COLESS

85 West Street

Newark

"It is the quiet people who do the most." What other words can be used to describe Mark? Always successful in his endeavors, Mark was at the top of his class at all times. Mark filled the position of Editor-in-Chief of the Benedict News capably. No matter how busy, Mark always found time for some fun and was constantly ready with a warm smile. Past success indicates only greater future success.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Intramural Basketball 2-3; Telolog Staff; Benedict News 2-3-4 (Editor 3-4).



He strove to acquire the perfection and holiness of the Gospels.

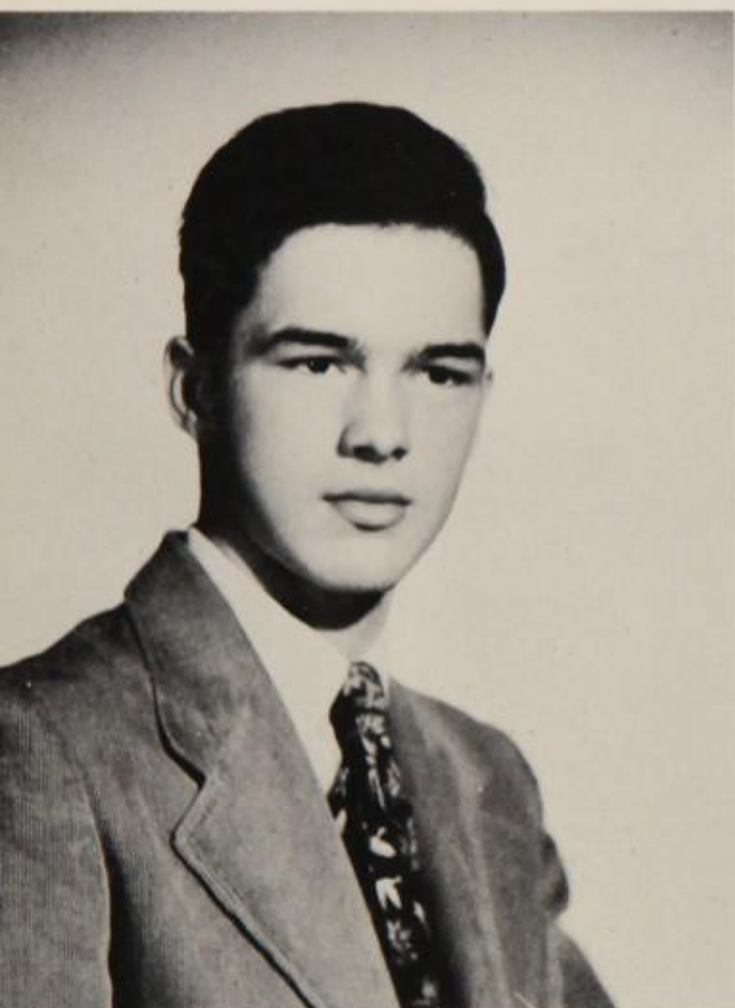
RALPH JOSEPH CONFESSORE

516 North Third Street

East Newark

Specialist in wrestling, genial Ralph is one of the most popular boys of the class, as is shown by his election to the post of class treasurer in our junior year. He can rightfully boast of a clean slate in deportment, as he has had a demeritless four years. A born salesman, he can sell you anything with his happy-go-lucky smile. Saving his brawn for the wrestling ring, he rates a crown as the school's middleweight champion. His affable, unassuming manner proclaimed him the winner of many friends, whom he is ready to back up with a good-natured helping hand at any time or place.

Class Treasurer 3; Junior Dance Committee; Wrestling 3-4; Intramural Basketball 2-3-4; Pax Club 1; J. V. Football 2-3.



JOSEPH DANIEL COPPINGER

23 Orton Road

West Caldwell

Joe will always be remembered by the class of '48 as the happy-go-lucky fellow from Caldwell. Possessing a natural aptitude for getting in and out of trouble, Joe is known to be able to take a joke as well as give one. With his beaming smile, genial personality, and pleasant disposition, Joe has enlivened the atmosphere here at the Bee Hive. He has won for himself a vast store of friends who will never forget him. It is rumored that Joe wishes to make engineering his career but whatever field he chooses, we are sure success is inevitable.

Honor Man 1-2; Intramural Basketball 1-4; Telolog Staff; Forum 1-2.

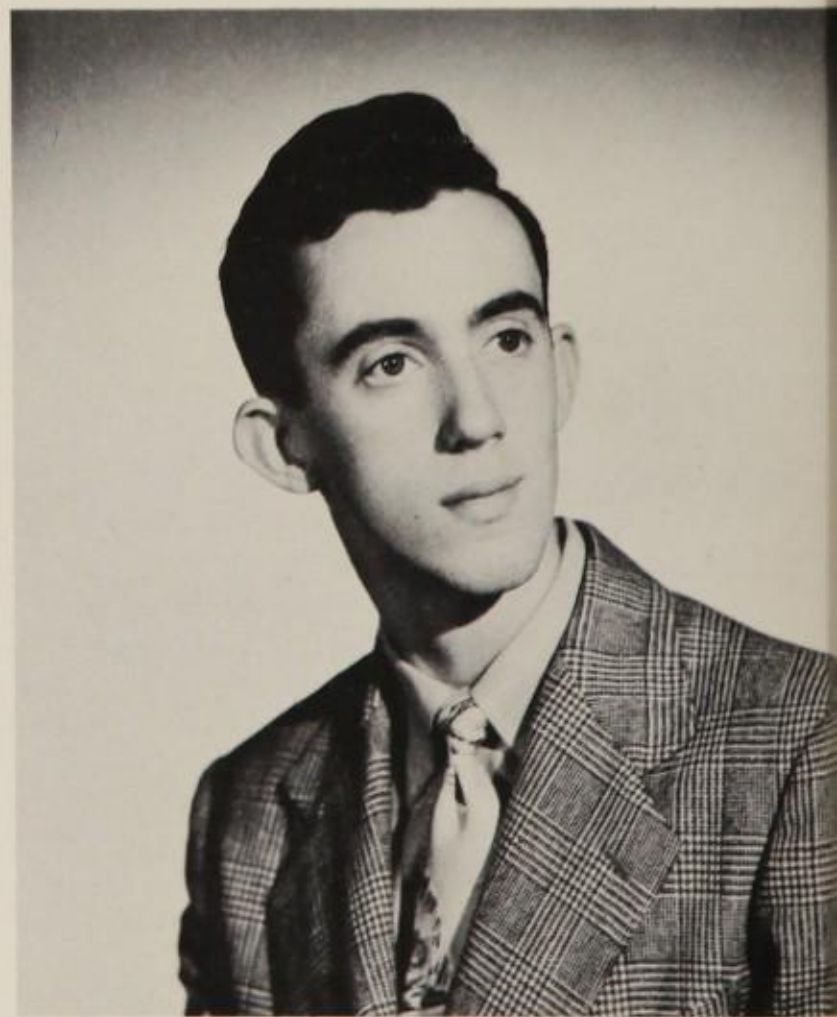
JAMES FRANCIS CRYAN

48 Label Street

Montclair

Jim is a native of that well-known suburb, Montclair. During his four years at the Bee Hive he has proved himself worthy of being called a Benedict man. A versatile athlete, he combines the fine qualities of a gentleman with good nature and ready wit. We are with you, Jim; may the years to come be as happy as the days you have spent with us, and may success be always yours.

Intramural Handball 1-2; Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Class Representative 4; Jeffersonians 3-4; Benedict News 3-4.



He made the practice of shunning all earthly things,



DAVID JOSEPH CUNNINGHAM

580 Adams Avenue

Elizabeth

During our Junior year here at St. Benedict's we welcomed into our midst none other than "Tiny" Cunningham himself. This quiet, tall lad has won for himself many friends by his affable nature. An able worker, he backed all activities and helped to make them successful. When our class sets sail on the sea of life we are sure that Dave will carry on the successful beginning he has made here.

Telolog Staff.

LOWELL FRANCIS CURRAN, JR.

5 Bentley Avenue

Jersey City

A pleasing personality, ease of orientation to any task that is given, and an eagerness to acquire knowledge, all contribute to Frank's success in everything that he has undertaken. Having been chosen master of ceremonies on many occasions, and also chosen to announce athletic events he has proven his popularity among the faculty and student bodies. Excellent in studies and handy in sports, Frank can be sure of success in any field which he chooses.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Class Representative 1; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff 4; Benedict News 3; Forum 1-2-3-4, President 4.



JOHN THOMAS DOLAN

5 Ferncliff Terrace

Montclair

Chuck's prowess is not limited to the basketball court, for he has constantly proved his ability in scholastic work. We have always known him to bring out the humorous side of any situation. With the qualities of leadership and the ability which Jack has displayed at the Bee Hive it would be impossible to foresee anything but success for him.

J. V. Basketball 3; Varsity Basketball 4; Class Officer 1-2; Jeffersonians 4; Telolog Staff; Intramural Handball 3-4.



to seek alone, and ardently, Heavenly things . . .



ROBERT ANDREW DONNELLY

73 Kingsland Road

Clifton

Clifton's gift to the graduation this year, smiling Bob, is always ready to add mirth and merriment to any gathering. At lunch time he is a fixture on the handball court, where he outshines most of his opponents. Bob attained great success in his sophomore year, when he acted in the Broadway production, "Life with Father." His marks show that he is a better than average student and his willingness to help any one in need has gained for him a favorable spot in the senior class. We wish Bob all the success possible in his future endeavors in college and the medical profession.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2-3-4; Forum 3.

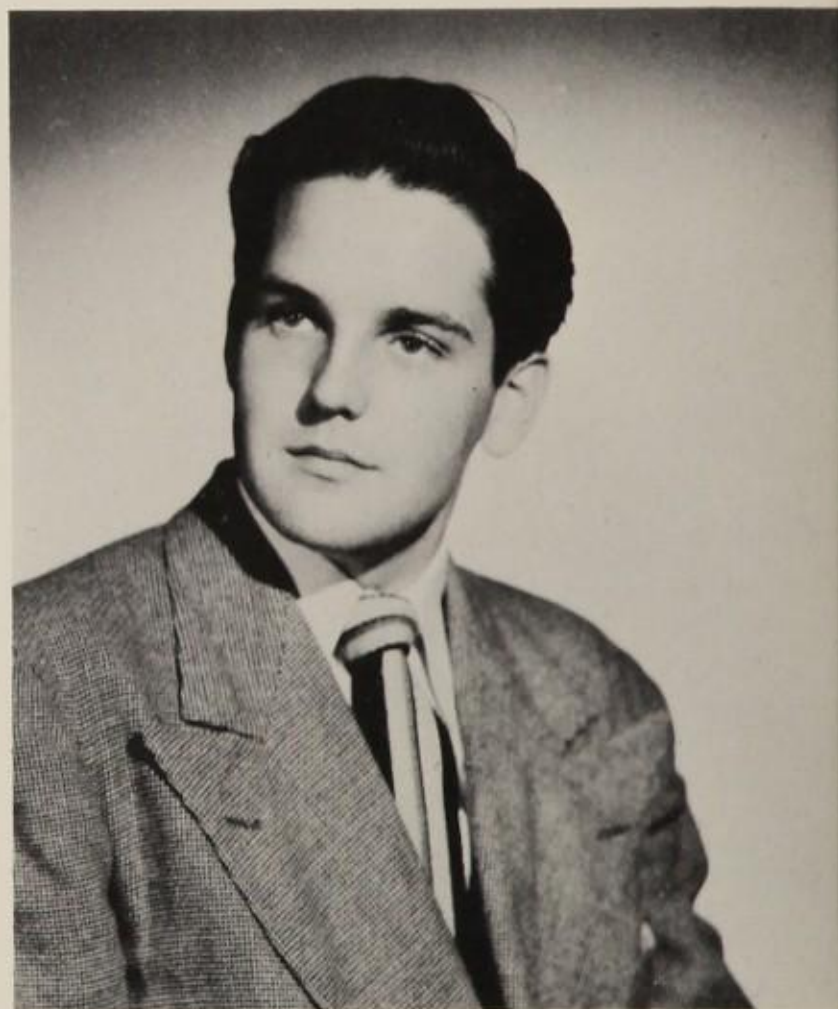
WILLIAM ARTHUR DONOHUE

20 North Sixth Street

Newark

Bill's presence at all social activities indicates the abundance of his class spirit. A handsome fellow and an excellent dancer he is held in high esteem both by his classmates and his companions. With a ready answer for every question, Bill displays his ever present wit, and radiating personality. His congeniality supplements the ability he has shown in his studies and extra-curricular activities. We predict happiness and prosperity for Bill in the future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Jeffersonians 4; J. V. Football 2.



JOHN JOSEPH DORAN

64 Westcott Street

East Orange

"Jack," during his four years at St. Benedict's, has proven himself to be an all around fellow. His display of Doddtown humor, together with his pleasing personality, have helped to make for him a great number of friends at the Bee Hive. Jack, being a brilliant student, has also been active as a loyal and helpful classmate. We wish him more success in his future years in whatever field he undertakes.

Honor Man 1-3; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.



... of praying incessantly for his own salvation

JOHN THOMAS DWYER

213 South Third Street

Harrison

Johnny comes from that famous little town across the river, Harrison. Friendly and well liked, he is a serious student in class and a good athlete on the track team; he was also on the cross country team and was elected co-captain in his senior year. Johnny was also an asset to the intramural teams on which he played. With all his athletic interests he managed to participate in the majority of all the social events during his stay at the "Bee Hive." Johnny's every endeavor can only meet with success.

Indoor Track 2-3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Jeffersonians 4; Monogram Club 2-3-4; Outdoor Track 2-3-4; Cross Country 2-3-4; Co-captain 4.



ROBERT CHARLES FIELD

76 West Market Street

Newark

Four years ago the Garnet and Gray portals opened to welcome Bob. He had just graduated from grammar school and desired to continue his education in the best possible way; needless to say he chose St. Benedict's. Bob immediately became one of the more popular members of the freshman class. A participant in school activities he was a boon to his class basketball team. Best wishes, Bob, for a bright future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.



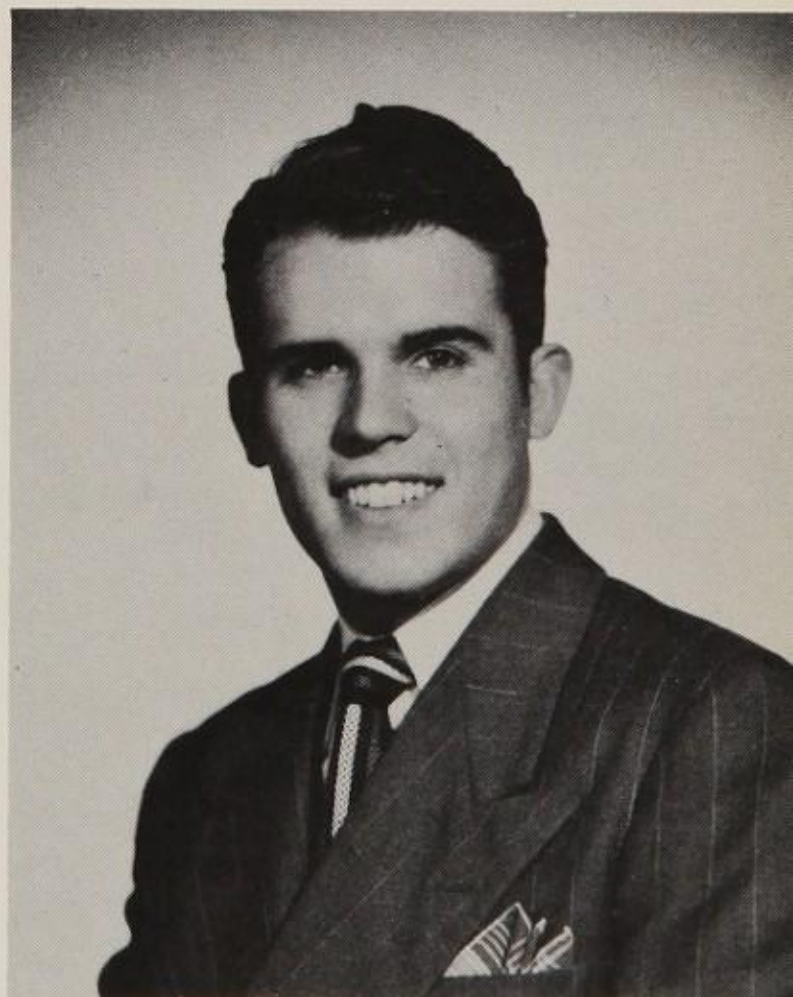
JOSEPH CHARLES FINKELMEIER

904 South Nineteenth Street

Newark

Joe made his entrance in the halls of the Bee Hive following his graduation from Blessed Sacrament School in Clinton Hill. He has, during his stay with us, proved himself worthy of the honor and respect in which he is held by all his classmates. His good nature and pleasing personality combine with his capabilities as a student to make him an outstanding member of our class. Best wishes for a successful future, Joe.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Class Representative 1.



and for the salvation of men . . .

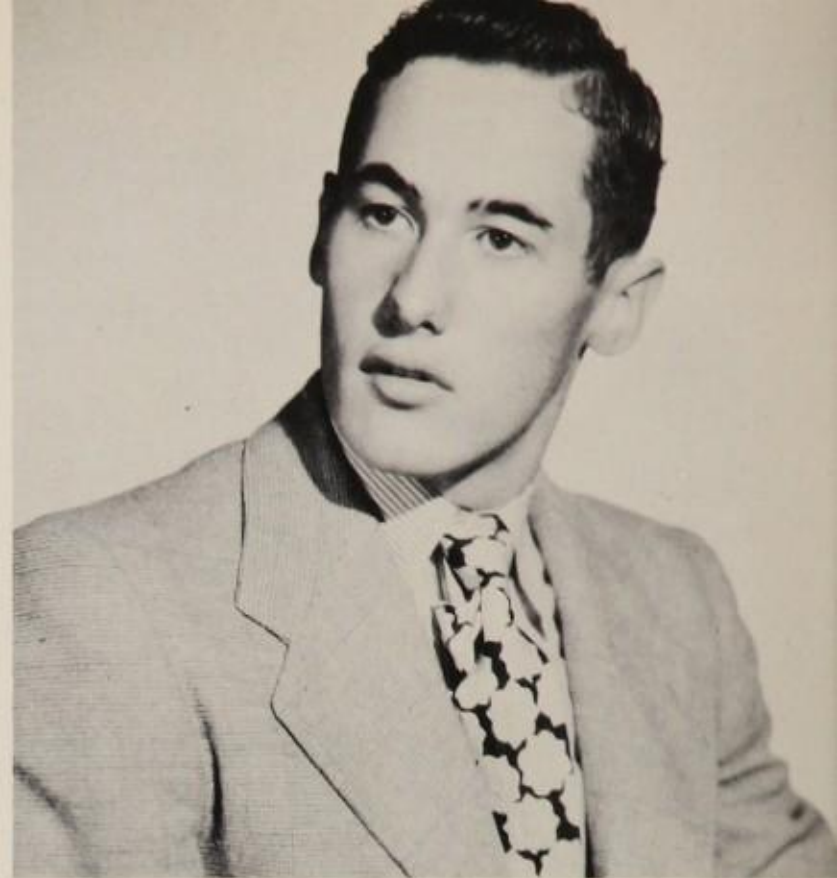
ALEXANDER RICHARD FITZBURGH

151 Rutgers Place

Nutley

Al's pleasant nature and friendly manner have made for him a host of friends. One of the boys from Nutley, he has helped make our stay here at the Bee Hive a joyous one. Although keenly interested in basketball and other sports, he has also proved himself to be a capable student. His reliability and his willingness to lend a hand to anyone who might need it have endeared him to all of us. Al plans to further his interests in chemistry at Rutgers University. We all know that he will be a success.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff.



WILLIAM JOHN FITZSIMMONS

5 Elmwood Avenue

Belleville

Bill treks to the Bee Hive every day from that pleasant little town of Belleville. His quiet good nature and abundant humor have made him a popular figure in Benedictine circles. While at school he has inspired us by his diligent work on the Library staff. A fine student and a supporter of our activities we, the class of '48, know that the future can hold nothing but success for Bill as he sets forth in life.

Library Staff 4.

ROBERT FRANCIS FLANAGAN

48 Barbara Street

Newark

"The mayor of 'Down Neck' " is Bob's mythical title here at the Bee Hive because of his political and business-like personality. During his stay here he has proven himself a fine performer on the intramural basketball court, and a very popular member of his class, as evidenced by his election to the post of vice-president during our junior year and as secretary in our senior year. We respectfully present Bob to the business world and we are confident that his qualities plus a very pleasing personality will assure him of success.

Class Vice-President 3; Class Secretary 4; Class Representative 2; Junior Dance Committee; Senior Dance Committee; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 4; Telolog Staff; Benedict News 2-3-4.



Our Saint shaped and set himself in sanctity,



ARTHUR JOSEPH FLYNN

240 Sixth Avenue

Newark

Arthur is one of Roseville's finest to come to St. Benedict's. Although he did not go out for any sports in his four years at Benedict's, he has been well-known and well-liked by everyone that has had the pleasure of meeting him. His daily escapades have endeared him to his classmates, for his fine sense of humor always predominated his every action. Although he leaves us this year his name will be remembered for many years to come.

Intramural Basketball 1.

JAMES BRENDAN FOLEY

50 Arlington Avenue

Caldwell

Without this pleasant fellow from Caldwell the class of "48" would not be complete. Brendan participated in many sports, especially in varsity football. A diligent student and a very good-natured fellow, he won the friendship of all. Friendly and cooperative he is "one of the boys," but displays his abilities in his own quiet way. The best of success to Brendan in the future, and may all his years be as happy as those spent at St. Benedict's.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; J. V. Football 3; Freshman Basketball; Sophomore Basketball; Varsity Football 4.



EDWARD JUSTIN FOUNTAIN

130 Summer Avenue

Newark

Ed brought with him to Benedict's a keen sense of humor and a wonderful personality. He is a great lover of sports and can hold an interesting conversation with all. In dramatics Ed excels the rest for his portrayals of the Shakespearean actors and their characteristics. To most of us he illustrates the average Benedict boy and no matter what his future endeavors, they will be crowned by success.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2-3.

and laid those solid foundations of Christian perfection.



ROBERT PAUL FREEMAN

297 Dodd Street

East Orange

Bob, who hails from the Doddtown section of East Orange, is better known to his friends as the "Freem." One of the best cross-country men in the class, he won a major gold B by his efforts on the State Championship Team this year. His business ability was recognized when the class chose him as their Treasurer. We expect from this grand fellow much success in the future.

Honor Man 1-4; Class Treasurer 4; Class Representative 2-3; Indoor Track 4; Telelog Staff; Monogram Club; Cross Country 4.

HUGH JAMES GALLAGHER

311 Watchung Avenue

North Plainfield

Possessor of a quick wit and jovial disposition, Hugh is a constant source of cheer to his friends. Many a would-be-dull hour has been enlivened by his presence. A good student and an all-around athlete, he has excelled in basketball and baseball. He has been a sparkplug on his class teams for four years and has proven himself a fine baseball player. With all these things in his favor, Hugh can have nothing but success.

Honor Man 1-2-4; Class Representative 4; Senior Dance Committee; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 3-4; Jeffersonians 4; J. V. Baseball 1-2.



GEORGE JAMES GARLAND

6 North Eleventh Street

Newark

George's pleasing personality and ever-present humor have won for him many friends during his stay at the Bee Hive. Although serious by nature he has always the proper remark at the right time. We have known him as a true friend with a cheerful smile and a willing hand. These fine qualities assure George's success in the future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; J. V. Baseball 2-3; Freshman Basketball Manager.

A multitude began to flock to him to see the

RONALD MICHAEL GAUDETTE

580 Washington Avenue

Belleville

When Ronald entered St. Benedict's four years ago he immediately won the esteem of his fellow classmates because of the pleasantness of his way. Always smiling and with a ready sense of humor, he is well known throughout the school as a real fellow. Fond of mathematics and languages, in which he excels, Ron is an excellent student. With these characteristics behind him nothing but success can await Ron in the future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2; Jeffersonians 4.



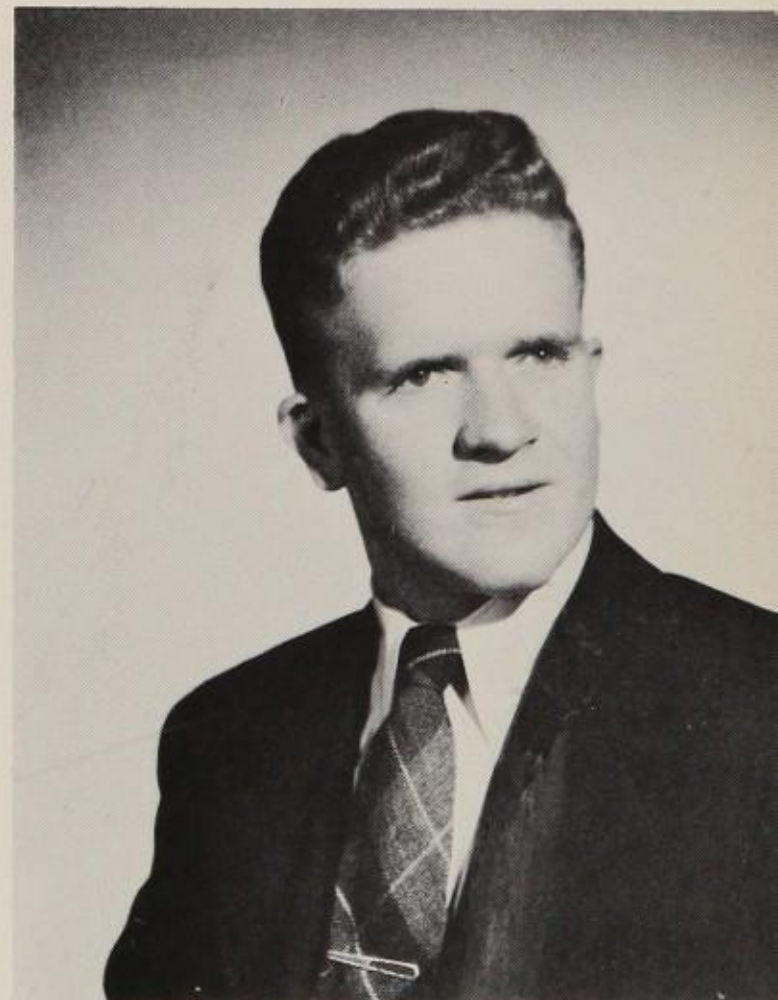
ROBERT LOUIS GAUTHIER

281 Rutledge Avenue

East Orange

This fine young man joined us, the Class of '48, as a freshman, left us in our sophomore year, and returned to the Bee Hive in our junior year. At first glance Bob seems to be of a reserved and retiring nature, but his friends know him for his pleasant nature and quick wit. We know not what Bob has in mind for the future but we wish him every success and happiness in whatever it may be.

Jeffersonians 4; Intramural Basketball 1-3-4.



JOSEPH ROBERT GORDON

521 Harrison Avenue

Harrison

Joe is a "regular fellow," a pal and friend of every senior at the Bee Hive. Joe, really known as "Red" to his fellow students, stands out above all the others for his humorous jokes and quaint poetry while always supplying entertainment for us all. His ability at the piano has become a source of many pleasant afternoons. A product of Harrison, Joe has attained success in his four years at Benedict's. We can assure him of nothing but the brightest star in the sky of success for the years to come.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2.

wondrous signs that God often worked through him.

JOSEPH ALEXANDER GORSKI

865 Bayway Circle

Elizabeth

Possessor of a sparkling personality, Joe has attached himself to the hearts of all here at the Bee Hive. In his sophomore year he was manager of the varsity baseball team, and as a junior and senior he ran in the 220-yard dash, a credit to the school. When he leaves St. Benedict's, Joe intends to attend college and make a career of engineering. We have known him—we are proud of him—and we are sure that success will be his. Best wishes, Joe.

Junior Prom Committee; Varsity Baseball (Manager) 2; Outdoor Track 3-4; Monogram Club 4.



JOHN WALTER GRIGGS

34 Cortland Street

Newark

With character above reproach . . . these words summarize our Senior Class President. Jack has won our esteem and admiration; we are proud to have known him. A fellow with athletic ability, outstanding qualities of leadership, and a true friend to all, he exemplifies the real Benedict spirit. We will miss you, Jack, but your memory will serve as an inspiration to us in the future. Best wishes to a grand fellow.

Senior Class President; Class Representative 2-3; Monogram Club 3-4; Cross Country 3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; J. V. Basketball 3; Honor Man 2; J. V. Football 2; Art Club 1-2-3.

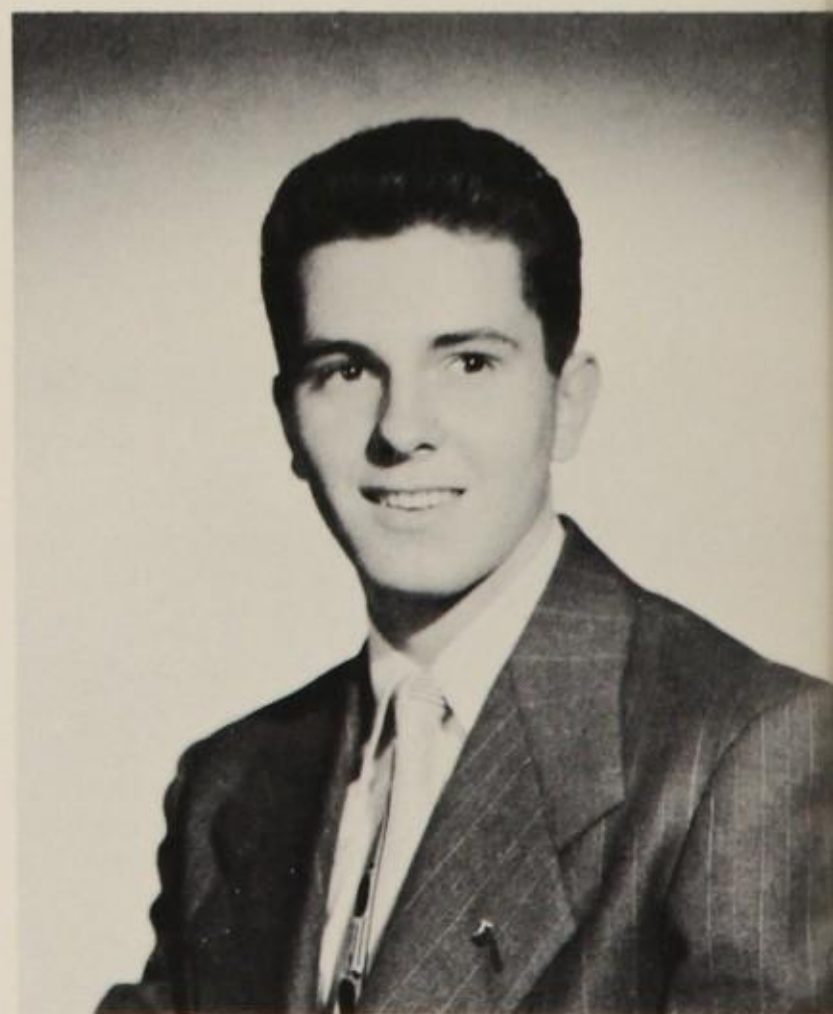
JOHN FRANCIS GRIMM

905 South Twentieth Street

Newark

Ready, willing and able, Jack has always been in the midst of activities, whether educational, social or athletic. Possessing a friendly personality Jack has been one of the most popular members of the class. He has demonstrated his ability as president in our junior year, and now as vice-president of the senior class. His pleasant smile and sense of humor have been the cause of much merriment. Excelling in basketball Jack has proved to be one of the better "cage-men" of this year's team. Rich in wisdom this handsome classmate of ours has also proven himself to be an outstanding student. To Jack we wish all the luck in the world.

Varsity Basketball 4; Honor Man 1-4; Class President 3; Class Vice-President 4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3; Class Representative 1-2; J. V. Basketball 3; Intramural Handball 1-2-3; Junior Dance Committee.



Persons of Rome began to resort to him and



JOHN RAYMOND GRUM

279 Grant Avenue

Nutley

John, as he is known around the Bee Hive, is a fellow who combines fun and humor with a touch of seriousness. He is indeed a credit to Nutley, his home town. His pleasing personality and physical ability capture the eye of both student and teacher. John is undecided on what he is going to do after he leaves St. Benedict's, but we all know that whatever he undertakes, his ultimate goal will be successful.

Class Representative 1; Varsity Football 3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3; Monogram Club 4; J. V. Football 2; J. V. Baseball 2-3.

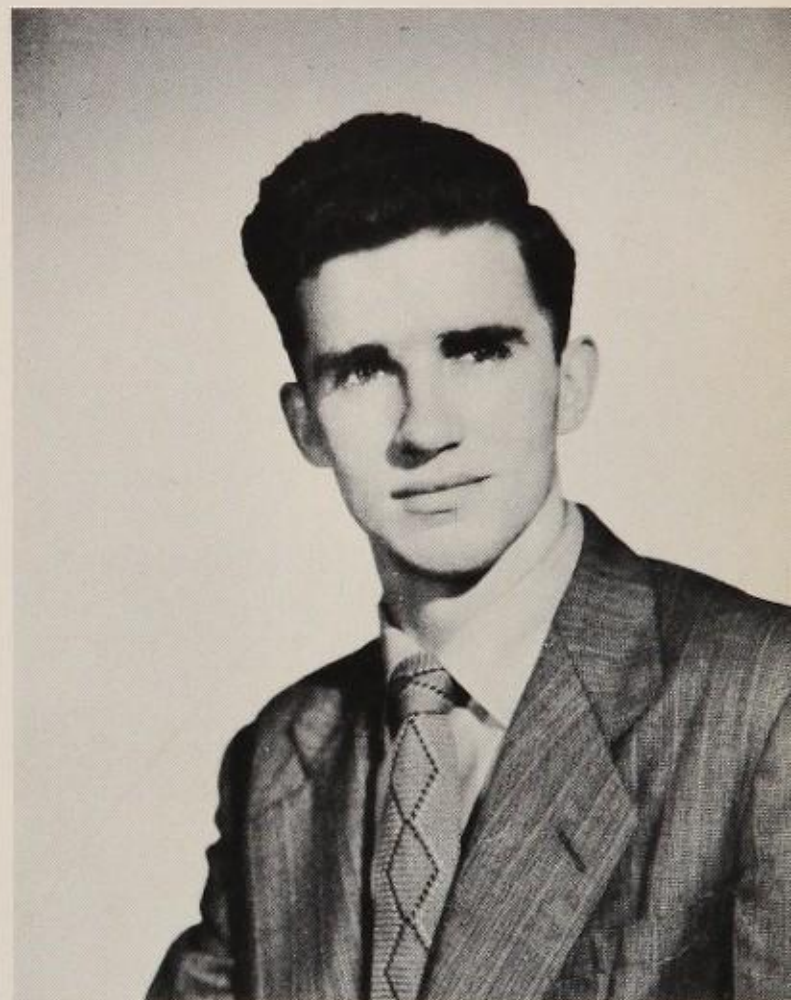
EDWARD PATRICK HANSON

44 Tappan Street

Kearny

Ed entered the Bee Hive as a sophomore but his third year was interrupted by the call of Uncle Sam to duty. Although constantly at his books, Ed kept us in a happy state with his humor. His plans to study at Seton Hall will be most successfully realized and we are certain that he will continue to edify all by his personality and scholastic endeavors. Ed's record at St. Benedict's indicates that the future holds success and happiness for him.

Intramural Basketball 2-3-4.



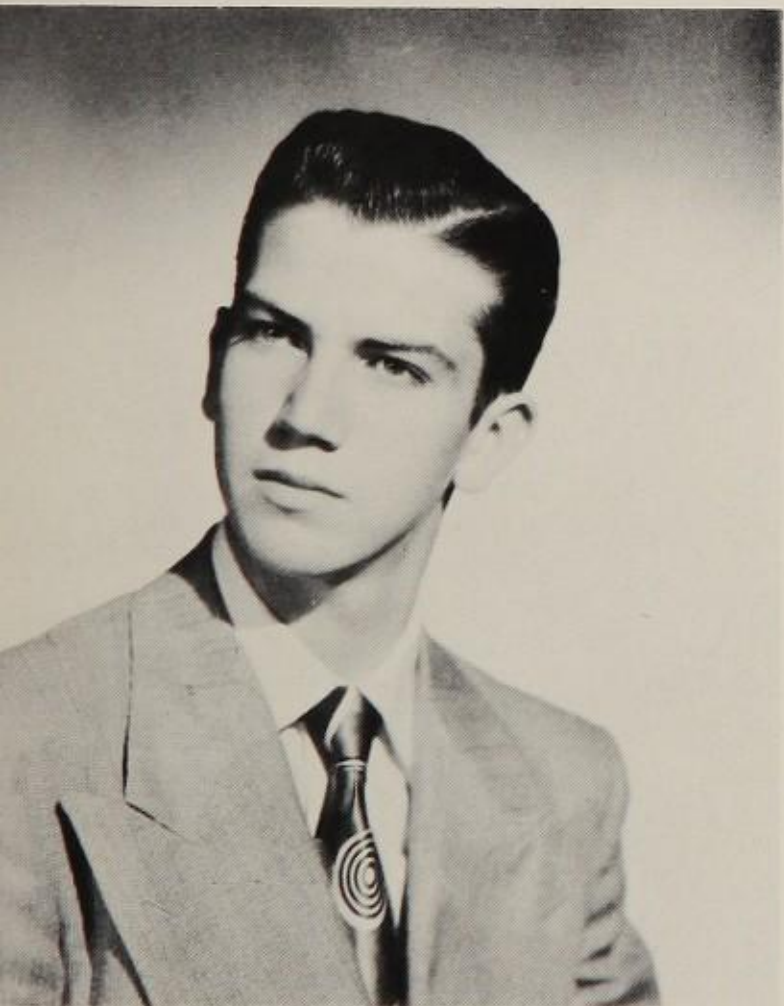
JOHN EDWARD HART

43 Cortland Street

Newark

Blessed with an abundance of good looks, Jack is one of the most handsome fellows in the class. Bubbling over with personality and quick wit, he gained numerous friends. His popularity is further shown by his election to the post of class representative of Senior B. With all these characteristics to his credit, Jack goes into a world that is strange and new, and we are sure that Jack will attain the highest rung of the ladder of success.

Class Representative 4; Senior Dance Committee; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1; Forum 1; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 4.



commended their children to be brought up by him in the service of God.



JAMES JOSEPH HEALY

815 West Henry Street

Linden

One of Linden's better products, "Jim" is known for his personality and good nature. During his four years at the Bee Hive he has been active in many social and extra-curricular activities. This year he leads the Jeffersonians as their president. His humorous antics have never interfered with his better-than-average marks. All who know him are his friends. We can predict nothing but success for one of St. Benedict's loyal followers.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 3-4, President 4.

JOHN MARTIN HEALY

82 Whittlesey Avenue

West Orange

There are many students at St. Benedict's from West Orange, but few can approach Jack in his serious bearing and quick wit. John, besides being an excellent student, is a fine baseball player, as he showed in his sophomore and junior years when he played J. V. baseball. His interest in baseball, plus his interest in the class of '48, have won for him the hearts of his classmates. Jack's fine all-around ability insures him of success in the future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; J. V. Baseball 2-3.



JOSEPH EDWARD HEALY

210 Sixth Avenue

Newark

Joseph, known to all his friends as just "Joe," came to us from St. Rose's in 1944. While at St. Benedict's he has proven himself a gentleman at all times and a friend to all. He was a very valuable asset in the intramural games from his freshman to senior years. With an excellent record behind him, Joe intends to enter the business field after leaving the "Hive." You can be confident, Joe, that all your classmates wish you the best of luck in the future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.



The time had come for him to found a family of religious men

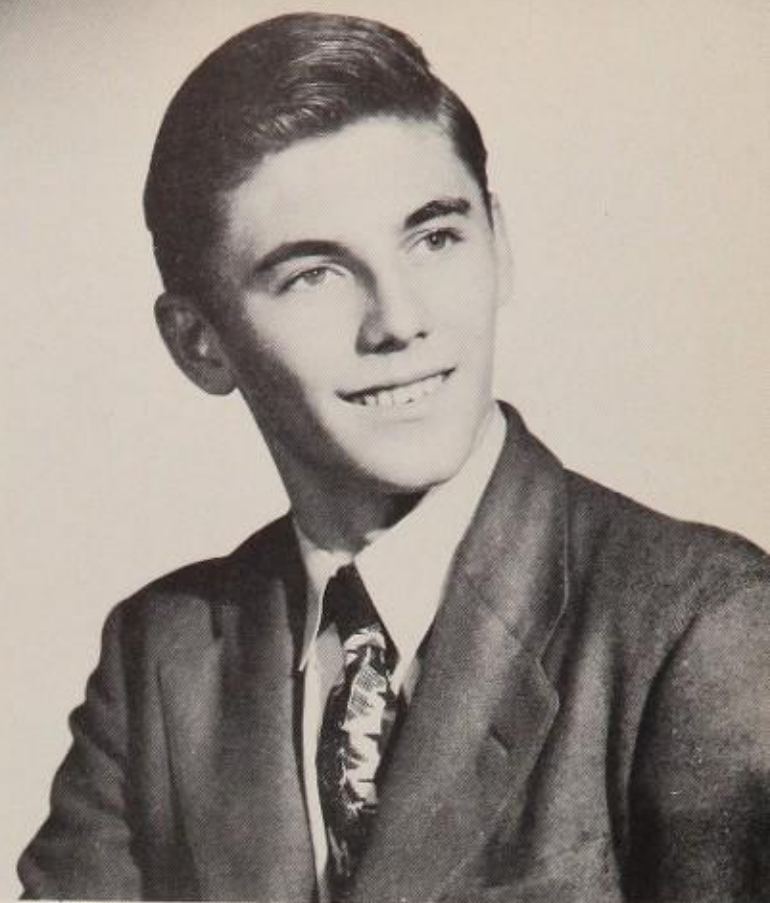
TIMOTHY ROBERT HEALY, JR.

21 East Stimson Avenue

Linden

Tim, another fine member of the Linden contingent, has during his stay with us manifested a keen interest in school activities. A diligent worker and an ardent supporter of the Telolog, he proved his worth in both basketball and wrestling. His congeniality has attracted friends from every corner of the Hive. We wish you every success and happiness, Tim.

Wrestling 3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 3-4.



JOHN EDWARD HEGARTY

298 South Eleventh Street

Newark

Jack is one of the "Jolly Boys" of the class. This has been self-evident since his first year, for his quick wit and smile have made him a friend of all. He has been active in intramural competition and an outstanding member of the Jeffersonians. Jack hails from St. Joseph's Parish of Newark, where he attended grammar school. In the class his studies are above average, and this with his sense of humor is bound to bring him success in life.

Class Representative 1; Honor Man 1; Library Staff 1-2-3; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 4; Jeffersonians 4.

PHILIP JOHN HEISER

214 South Tenth Street

Newark

An excellent student who never causes a disturbance is a good description of Phil. The fact that he is one of the "Sky-scrapers" of the class accounts for his outstanding athletic ability by which he has helped his class basketball team to many victories. He leaves us with the impression of being a natural, steady, and sure-footed boy whose popularity is established. Apply the talents you displayed here, Phil, and success will be yours for the future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 2-3; J. V. Basketball 3; Sophomore Basketball.



and to mould them to the perfection of the Gospels.

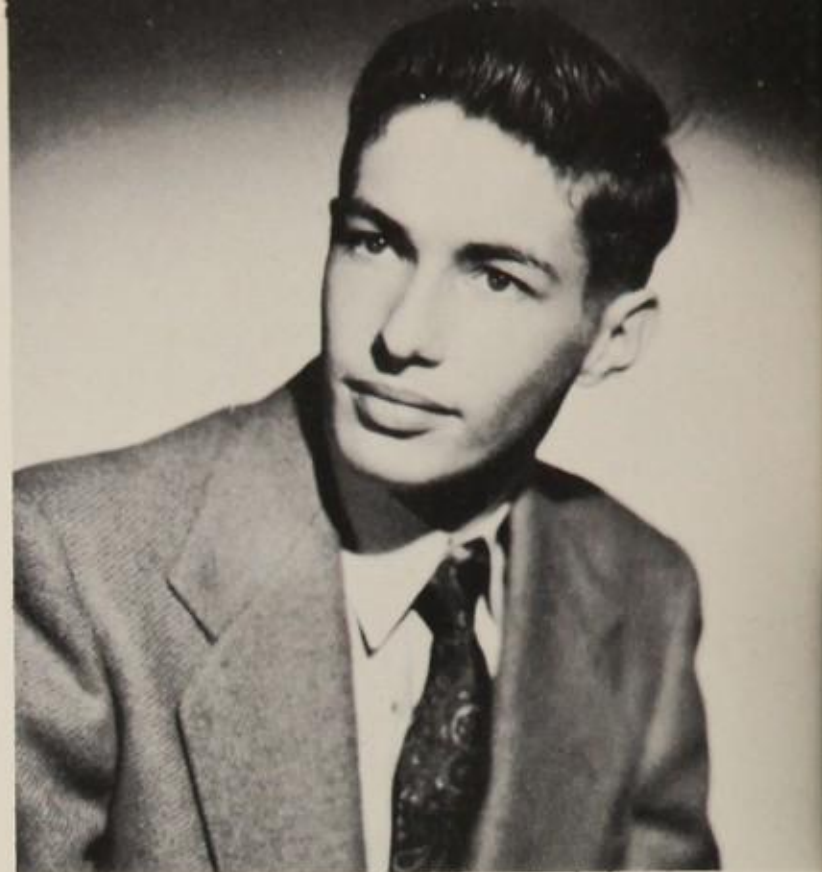
JOSEPH WALTER HERBSTER

97 Devon Street

Kearny

Bud, Kearny's pride and joy, is one of our more quiet and reserved seniors. A gentleman here at St. Benedict's, Bud has been a friend of all and a genuine student. Intramural basketball has held his interest these past four years at the Bee Hive. Scientifically inclined, Joe hopes to enter the Newark College of Engineering. We are certain that the future success of Bud is assured. Best wishes.

Library Staff 2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-4.



RONALD JOSEPH HERMANNNS

128 Nutley Avenue

Nutley

Ron is a fine representative of the town of Nutley and by his boasting and convincing arguments has led us to believe that his home town is an ideal one. Everyone knows Ron for his winning disposition and cheerful smile. He is a diligent worker and an active participant in class affairs. Whatever field Ron enters upon graduation, we know that success is in store for this fine youth.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.

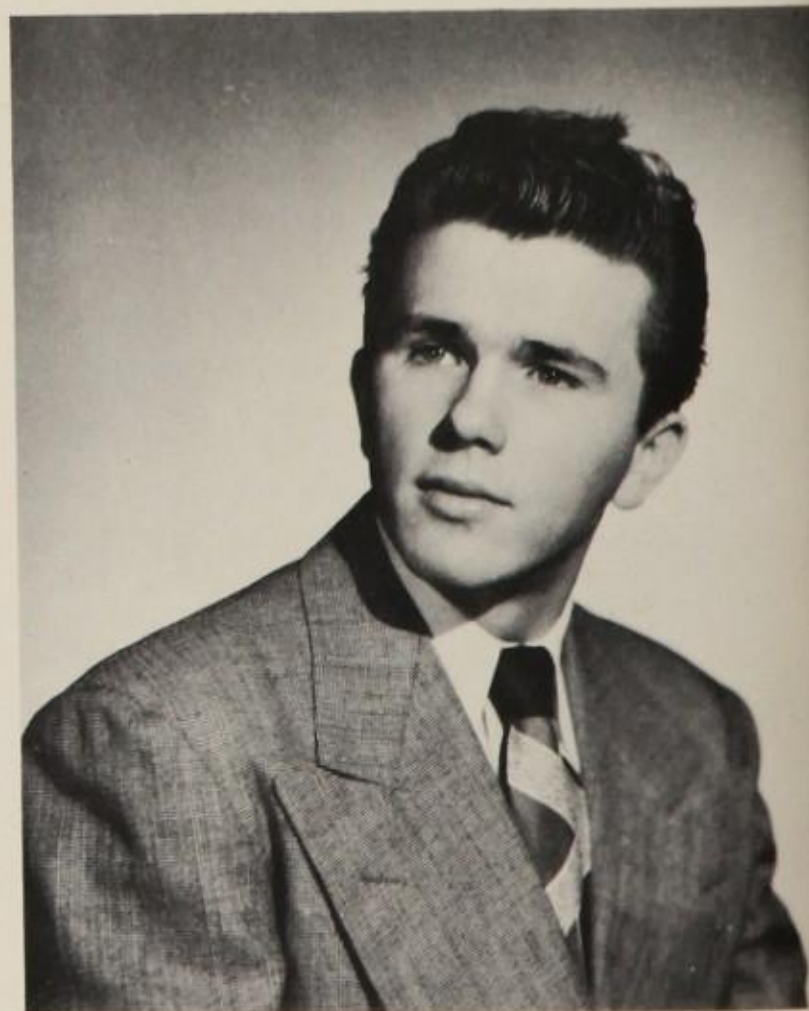
EDWARD MICHAEL HLAD

497 South Tenth Street

Newark

Eddie, one of the best liked boys in the Senior Class, is always ready by his cheer to brighten the dulllest hour. Although most of his time is taken up by his studies and his job, yet he still finds time to be an important cog in his class basketball team. Ed intends to enter college to study banking. To Ed we all extend our warm farewell.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 3.



Trusting in God, he went south and arrived at a fort



JOHN FRANCIS HOEY

103 Davis Avenue

Harrison

Although of a very quiet and reserved nature, John has been a most ardent friend to all of us. During his four years at Benedict's we have known him for his friendly smile and his unassuming manner. A real supporter of class affairs he has distinguished himself on the basketball court. A grand fellow, we wish you John, abundant happiness in the days to come.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.

EUGENE JOSEPH HOWLAND

25 Morningside Road

Verona

Gene, Verona's gift to the senior class, will always be remembered for his quick smile and willingness to lend a helping hand. Always at the top of the class in mathematics, Gene is known for his ability to solve perplexing problems. He has made good use of his spare time by playing intramural basketball, and developing his skill in the field of aviation. Whatever Gene does after graduation, we feel that he will attain all possible success. Good luck, Gene.

Rifle Club 1-2-3.



ROBERT JAMES HUNDLEY

755 South Twelfth Street

Newark

Who knows the answer? Whenever this question was heard we could always look to Bob to solve it. Scholastically adept, he has been at the top of the Honor Roll for his four years. Possessing a quiet sense of humor he kept us amused with his sharp wit and versatility. A member of the Naval Reserve, he intends to make the sea his career. Best wishes to "Captain Bob".

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Library Staff 4; Jeffersonians 4.

called Cassino, situated on the side of a high mountain.



THOMAS JOSEPH JAMESON

24 No. Dison Street

Glen Ridge

During Tom's four years stay at St Benedict's, we all have noticed what a true friend he really is. The title, "A friend in need," suits him in every respect. This fair haired boy, from Glen Ridge, who is noted for his quietness, has established himself as a real Benedict boy. Tom's ambition is to enter the business world. We the senior class, wish you, Tom, the best of luck, and success for the future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3; Jeffersonians 1-2-3-4; Forum 4.

JOSEPH MARTIN JEVNIK

327 Broughton Avenue

Bloomfield

Joe will always be remembered at the Bee Hive for his two outstanding characteristics: first his great big welcoming smile and secondly he can't say no to anyone. His presence always lends an atmosphere of joy to any gathering. The sports enthusiasts will remember Joe as a good track star and a basket ball player of ability. We know that in the outside world he will succeed as well as he has done at the Bee Hive.

Intramural Basketball 2-3-4; Outdoor Track 1-2-3-4; J. V. Football 2; J. V. Basketball 3; Monogram Club.



DONALD JOHN KAISER

829 Wyoming Avenue

Elizabeth

Don, one of Elizabeth's representatives at the Bee Hive, has by his industry been a creditable student and so gained the respect of all his friends. He is a capable athlete, having engaged in many of the class competitions. His fellow classmates hold him high for his winning personality and pleasant demeanor. Whatever path of life Don decides to follow, he takes with him the hearty wishes of the Class of '48.

J. V. Football 1-2-3; Telolog Staff; Class Representative 1-2; Honor Man 1.



Cassino was the chief dwelling and the main theatre

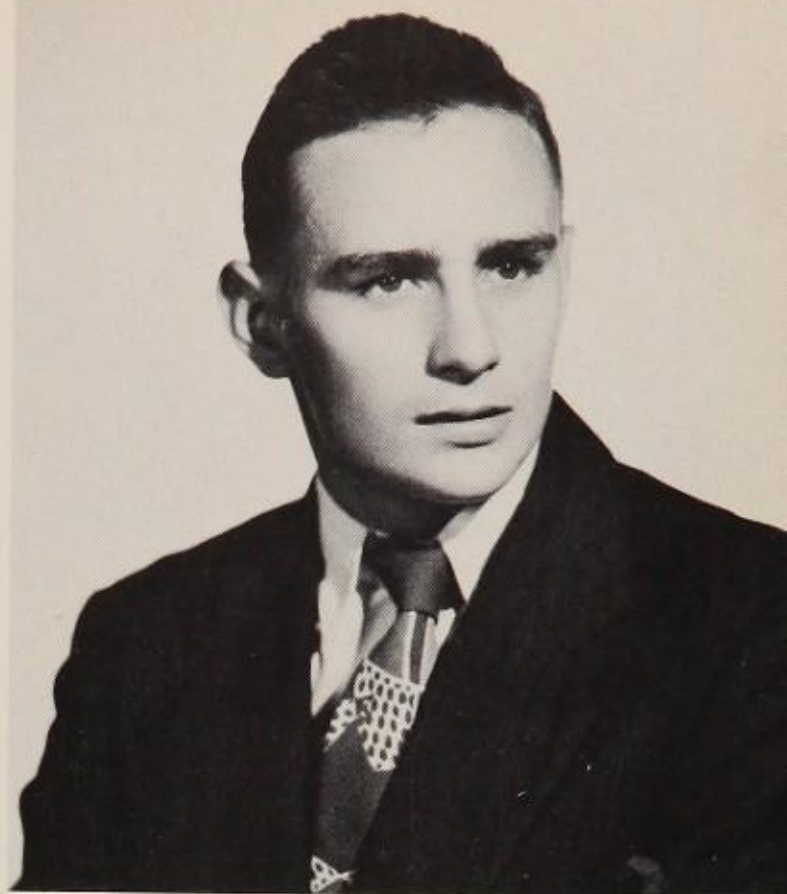
JOSEPH GERALD KAVLICK

62 Hawkins Street

Newark

Although his shy and retiring personality have not always placed Joe in the spotlight of the school's affairs, he has nevertheless been a faithful member of our senior class. Joe is very obliging, quiet and an inspiration to his friends. It is rumored that Joe plans to enter the priesthood, but whatever course he pursues we are sure that he will be a success.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.



VICTOR WALTER KAWALEC

697 So. Eleventh Street

Newark

"Vic" entered our school after his graduation from the Blessed Sacrament grammar school in Newark. He immediately stepped into the athletic life of the school, winning a place on the varsity baseball team. With his athletic prowess Vic also has a high scholastic standing that speaks for itself. He has made a host of friends among both the faculty and the students. Now that the time has come for him to leave us, we cannot help but remember the joy and happiness he has spread in the lives of his fellow students.

Honor Man 1-2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 4; Monogram Club; Varsity Baseball 2-3-4; Sophomore Basketball.



FRANCIS JAMES KELLEGHHER

135 So 10th Street

Newark

Frank is well liked by everyone for his keen sense of humor. His popularity among his fellow students was demonstrated by his election to the office of class representative for two successive terms. We are sure that with his zeal and amiable character he will succeed in what ever he does in life. Student, athlete and socialite, we will remember Frank as an outstanding member of the Bee Hive.

Class Representative 3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.

of the Holy Patriarch's virtue and sanctity.

WILLIAM JOSEPH KELLETT

168 Delavan Avenue

Newark

Bill joined the class of "48" in our sophomore year, and from then on, proved to be one of Benedict's most loyal basketball fans, attending the varsity games both home and away. Possessing a pleasant disposition, and a willingness to always lend a helping hand, he had no trouble making friends. Looking at Bill's marks we can foresee nothing but success for him in his future career of engineering.

Library Staff 2-3; Intramural Basketball 2-3-4; J. V. Football 3.



ROBERT CHARLES KUHN

124 Chadwick Avenue

Newark

Bob, one of the quietest boys in the class, was always willing to lend a helping hand. A supporter of all class activities, he has been a main cause of the success of the Telolog. Although he took part in many social activities he did not let them interfere with his school work. He hopes to enter college to become a pharmacist and we are sure that he will be a success.

Honor Man 1-3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Band 4; Intramural Track 1; Cheerleader 2.



ANTHONY STEPHEN LANTOS

71 Waydell Street

Newark

Tony possesses a jovial personality and is a sincere and loyal friend. An excellent student in science and mathematics, he is cheerful and friendly to all. Tony is a basketball player who has contributed largely to the success of his class team. Being a scholar of the first order, he will go far in his chosen field of Chemistry. Best wishes to a swell fellow.

Honor Man 3; Intramural Basketball 3; Telolog Staff.

From the summit of this mountain a new light shown,



THOMAS JOSEPH LAVIN

28-D Mravlag Manor

Elizabeth

"Zip" is a friend to all and a zealous student. His bubbling personality has endeared him to all his classmates. Wherever a group gathers he is always in the midst of it, adding his share of mirth. An excellent basketball player "Zip" is also a good scholar, ever ready with the right answer. We wish him every success for any future he may choose to follow. Adios, "Zip".

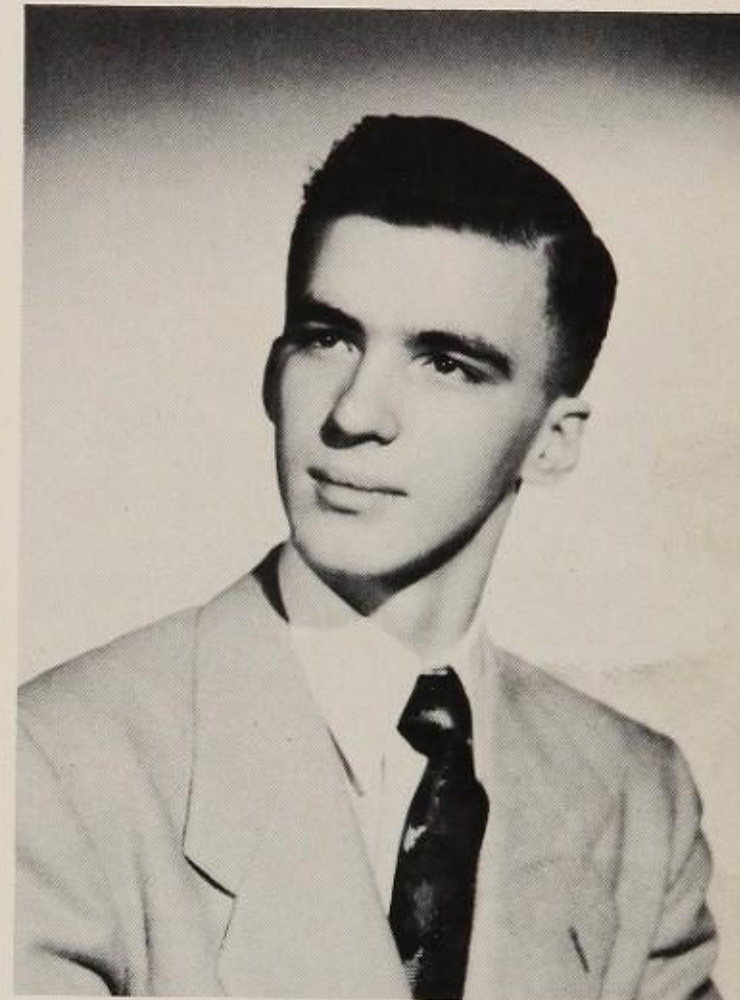
Honor Man 1; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; J. V. Football 3.

HENRY ROBERT LAWRENCE

42-A James Street

Newark

One of the more quiet members of our class yet definitely one of "the boys", Bob ranks high on our roll of scholastic achievement. Although usually found absorbed in some mathematical problem, Bob, always finds time to enjoy his chief recreation, bowling. His warm smile and friendly disposition gives him the distinct advantage of capturing and holding your friendship. Bob has chosen engineering as his career when he leaves us; a career which will be crowned with success, since we know of Bob's capabilities.



WILLIAM BERNARD LEBER

16 Komorn Street

Newark

A click of the shutter, the flash of a bulb; you knew it was Bill. His jovial smile and personality, and his ability in photography will always be remembered by his class. Friendliness, ambition and willingness are the qualities which will gain for him a high position in life. His enthusiasm for astronomy, chemistry and meteorology may indicate his choice for a future career. Success be yours, Bill.

Benedict News 3-4; Honor Man 1; Camera Club 2; Library Staff 2; Intramural Basketball 2-3-4; Telolog Staff.



kindled by the teaching of old . . . enriched by the precepts of Christianity.



THOMAS MICHAEL LEDDY

608 So 20th Street

Newark

Here is a true gentleman, kind, affable and sincere. During his four years with us, Tom has been a fine example to all. His winning personality, has gained for him a large host of true friends. Intramural Basketball found in Tom an ardent supporter. As yet he is undecided concerning the future, but we are sure that a youth of such fine character will be successful in the field of his choice. Best Wishes.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Forum 1-2; Cheer Leader 2.

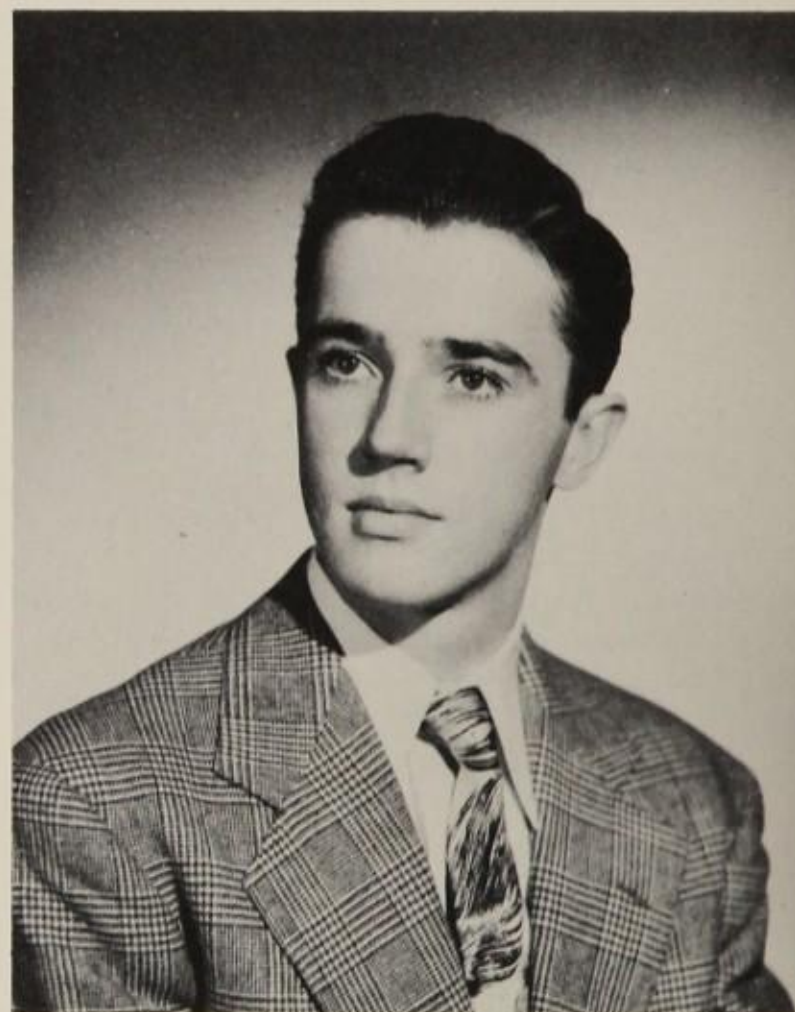
JOHN CHARLES LEONARD

387 Lyons Avenue

Newark

If Jack is not a success then there is little hope for us. His easy-going nature and congeniality have attracted friends from every class in the school. He was one of the most popular fellows in the Senior class and an athlete of ability. It has been a genuine pleasure to have been associated with him and we the Class of '48 wish him every success.

Honor Man 1; Library Staff 1; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 2; Jeffersonians 4.



RICHARD CHARLES LEONHARDT

47 Laurel Avenue

Clifton

Dick is the one and only member of the senior class from Clifton. He has been a mainstay and a most important member of the track team. Gifted with a great sense of humor and a natural wit, he has been the source of many humorous incidents during his four year stay at St Benedict's. With these and the many other qualities he possesses there can be no other alternative than success for him.

Indoor Track 4; Wrestling 3; Intramural Basketball 1-3-4; Outdoor Track 2-3-4; J. V. Football 2; Rifle Club 1.

The holy monastery was a haven of highest learning and virtue

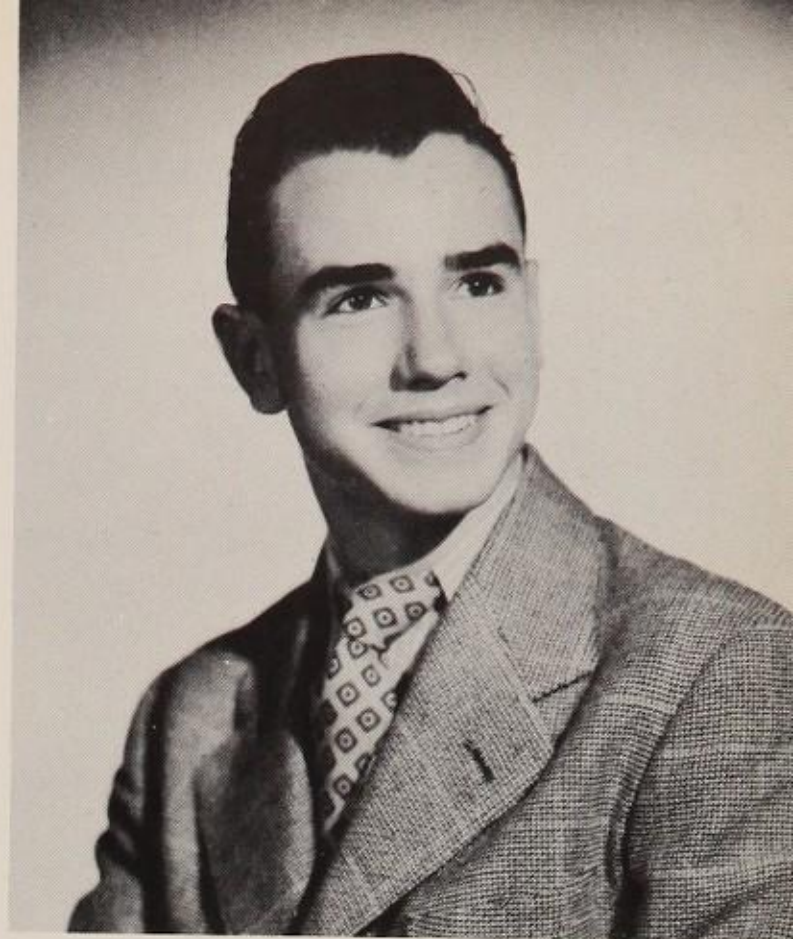
GORDON BATTLE LIDDY

55 Hillcrest Road

Caldwell

Gordon, while one of the better students in our class, has been a track man of outstanding ability. With his pleasant personality he has placed himself in the spotlight of school affairs. Gordon is always ready to assist his fellow students as a true friend and classmate. It is rumored that he plans to make the legal profession his life's work. Smooth sailing to you, Gordon.

Wrestling 3; Outdoor Track 3; Cross Country 4; Intramural Track 3.



JOHN LEWIS LINK

55 Montgomery Avenue

Newark

John entered the Bee Hive upon completion of his grammar school course. He is a cheerful, pleasant fellow who brightens every hour he is with us. Always ready to share his humor with us he has amused us constantly. His genial wit, pleasing manner, and general ability will stand him well in the world and its affairs. We wish every happiness to you, John, in your future endeavors.

Telolog Staff; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Class Representative 2; Honor Man 1; Junior Dance Committee.

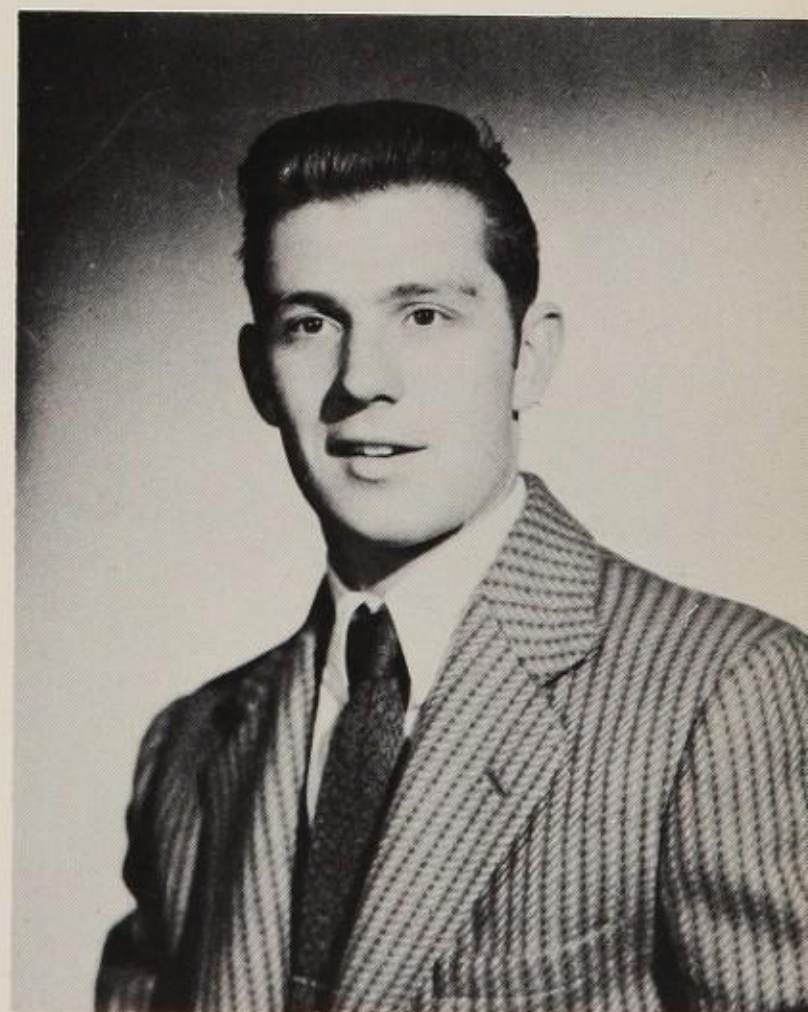
ROBERT EDGAR LINNETT

23 Osborne Place

West Orange

Although this was Bob's first year at St. Benedict's, he became a prominent member of the class. Gifted with a friendly smile and a fine personality he has acquired many friends. Most of his success has been won on the Football Field where Bob was a steady end. His efforts were not confined to athletics for he also won the esteem of all in the classroom. With these qualities we know that he will be a success in any course he undertakes.

Varsity Football 4; Intramural Basketball 4.



... a pillar of the Church and a bulwark of the faith.

JESSE RAYMOND LOBODA

84 Pulaski Street

Newark

Upon entering the Bee Hive Jesse immediately made a score of friends due to his pleasant personality and his ability to see the brighter side of life. Prominence in the class of '48 was his as a result of his basketball ability by which he led his team to victory. His sharp wit gladdened many of our days. Best wishes for a bright future.

Library Staff 1; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2; Benedict News 1; Pax Club 1.



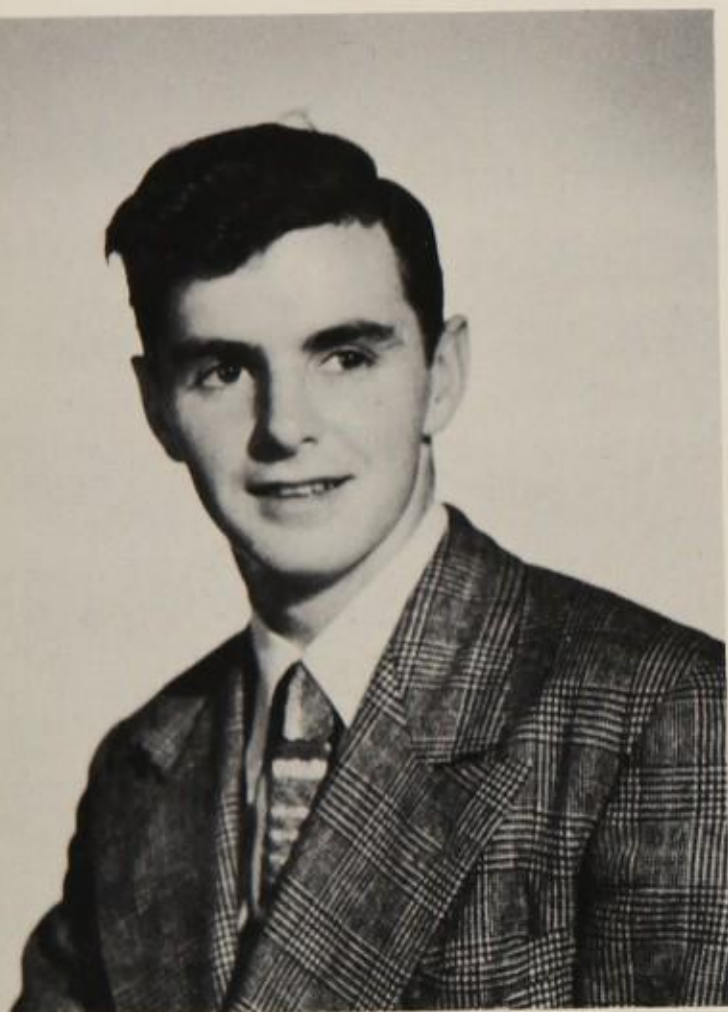
EDWARD JOSEPH LONG

543 Summer Avenue

Newark

"Eddie", during his four years at St. Benedict's, won our hearts with jovial wit and understanding. His hard work and untiring efforts have made him a real student of St. Benedict's. With such industry he will go far on the road of life. Ed's lively personality always keeps us in a good humor, while the lively accounts of the sea voyages that our "Mate" took during his last year of school have brightened recreation. We all hope that Ed will have clear sailing throughout life in every water through which his boat passes.

Library Staff 1; Varsity Football 4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2-3; Jeffersonians 1; Pax Club 1; Outdoor Track 2; J. V. Football 2-3.



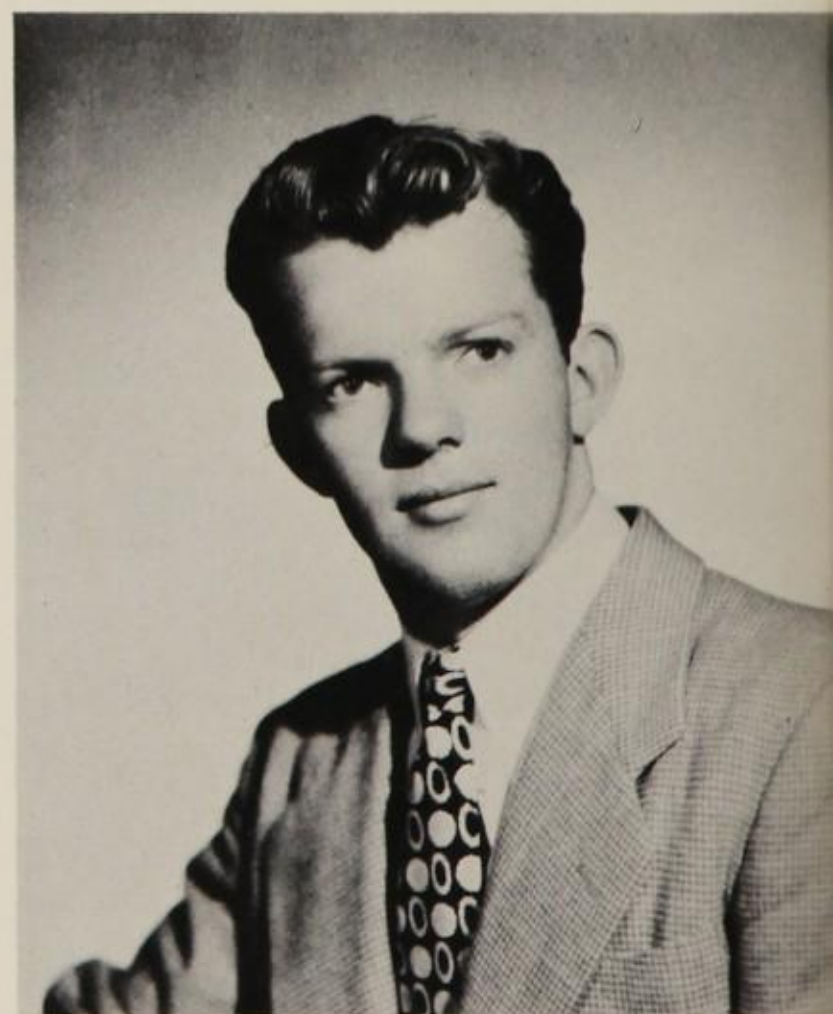
JOSEPH ROBERT LOUGHREY

5 Alan Street

West Orange

Red came to St. Benedict's in the fall of 1944. Since that time he has been known as a fine fellow and a sportsman of ability. As a student he ranks high but as an athlete his football prowess has singled him out as among the best. Although a very quiet fellow he was always a real supporter of class activities. Joe is undecided as to his future, but we are sure that he will be a credit to St. Benedict's.

Telolog Staff; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Varsity Football 3-4; J. V. Football 2.



Activity and work, far from wearying the mind rather tranquillize it.



HARRY WILLIAM McCABE

783 Ridge Street

Newark

"Harry", the friendly senior, has distinguished himself by his humor, easy going nature, and by his presence at the social events of the class. No other member of the class of '48' can rival him when it comes to his popularity. Easy going but not quiet, he has brought us many a happy hour. We are sure that in whatever field he chooses to enter after leaving the Bee Hive he will be a success. We wish you, Harry, success and best wishes in the future.

Honor Man 1; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.

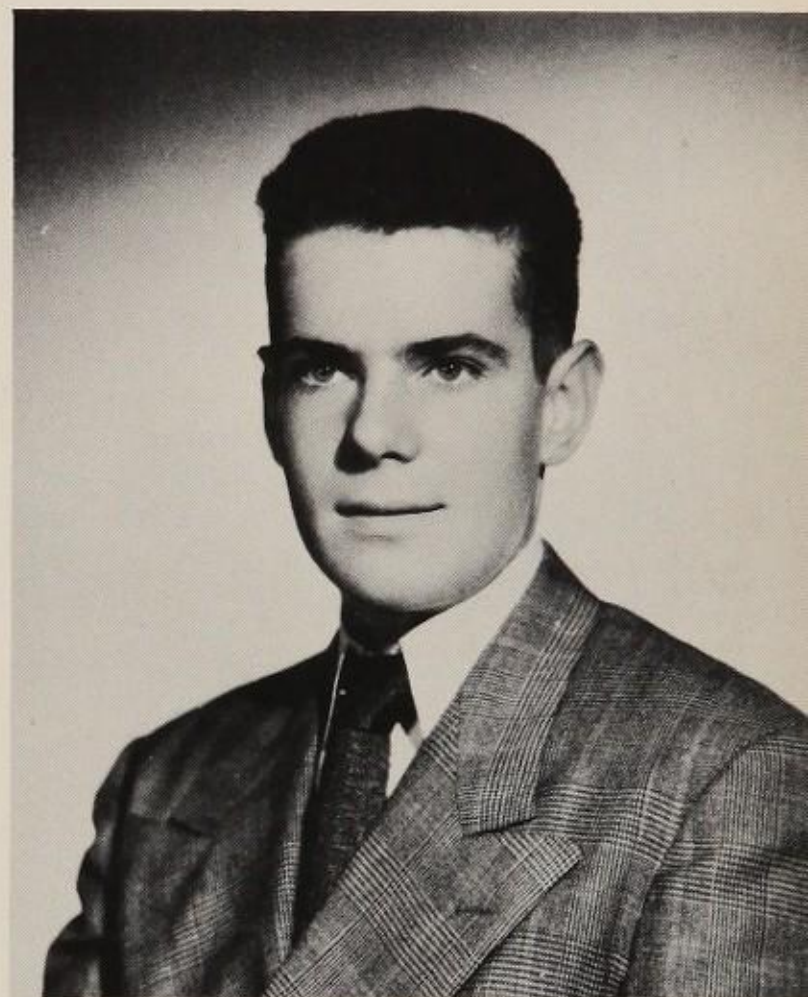
EUGENE ALBERT McDONALD

193 Lakeside Drive

Nutley

High in his scholastic standing, and equally as capable on the athletic field, Gene has won the hearts of his fellow students from the start. The choice of selecting him student-manager of the intramural basketball league in his Junior and Senior years was indeed a wise one. The admirable qualities of wisdom and sportmanship have labled him as one of the leaders of our class. His keen South Jersey sense of humor, with a touch of Nutley accent, has helped carve for him a permanent niche in the log of '48. A friendly smile and cheerful personality are Gene's tickets on the train of success.

Honor Man 1-2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2-3; J. V. Football 1-2.



JOHN JAMES McDONNELL

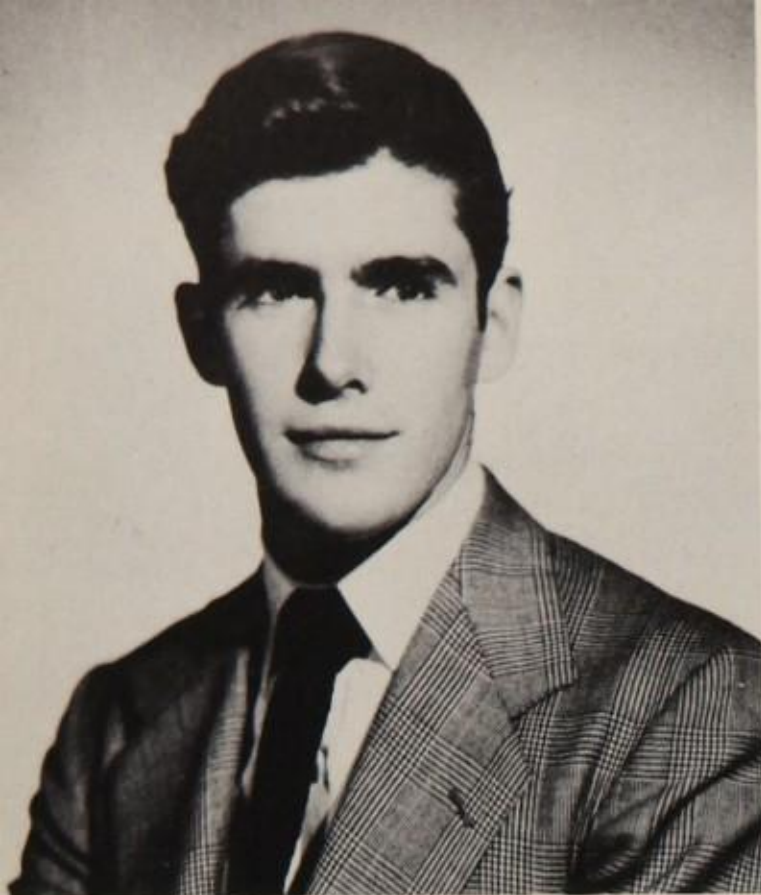
14-16 Second Street

Newark

"Mac", as he is called by most of us, is well known for his friendly ways and is the object of immediate friendship by all who come in contact with him. He can often be found on the basketball court, where he uses his height to good advantage, or in the yard, swapping stories at lunch time. A good student, "Mac" intends to enter college after graduation. With intelligence and personality-plus, "Mac" has our wishes for success in his following years, just as he had at St. Benedict's.

Honor Man 1-2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.

strengthen it and lift it up to the higher things.



JOSEPH FRANCIS McEVOY

427 Jersey Street

Harrison

"A merry old soul is he," is a simple phrase that describes our true friend, "Joe." Characterized by a perpetual smile which radiates his pleasing and magnetic personality, Joe has continually charmed his friends. A leader in scholarship and athletics, he was a consistent member of the varsity cage team in the past two seasons. The success that "Joe" has achieved here at St. Benedict's will be a rival of his happiness in the years to come.

Class Representative 4; Library Staff 1-2; Senior Dance Committee; Varsity Basketball 3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2; Jeffersonians 4; Monogram Club 3-4; Outdoor Track 3; Class Secretary 2; Class Treasurer 1.

JOHN JOSEPH McGEEHIN

117 Hendel Avenue

North Arlington

Jack is St. Benedict's pride from across the river. Although a very quiet fellow, his personality has been a source of constant pleasure to us. A friend of all, he is a student of excellent attainments and an asset to any basketball team on which he plays. He was very active in all social events and real support to the Class of '48. The future can hold nothing but success and prosperity for our good friend.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 4; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 4; J. V. Baseball 1-2-3; Intramural Referee 1-2-3-4; Varsity Basketball 4.



EUGENE THOMAS McLAUGHLIN

17 Elm Street

West Orange

Gene came to St. Benedict's with such a pleasing personality and keen sense of humor that it was not long before he made many friends. His popularity is not limited to the senior class, he is everybody's friend. Always a story to tell, his delightful way in relating it adds much to its interest. Gene's brilliant floor play and variety shots make him outstanding as a good-basketball player. We are sure that in later years we will find Gene a success and a credit to St. Benedict's.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 2-3; Golf Team 1-2; Telolog Staff.



He so tempered the rule that the strong would desire to do more

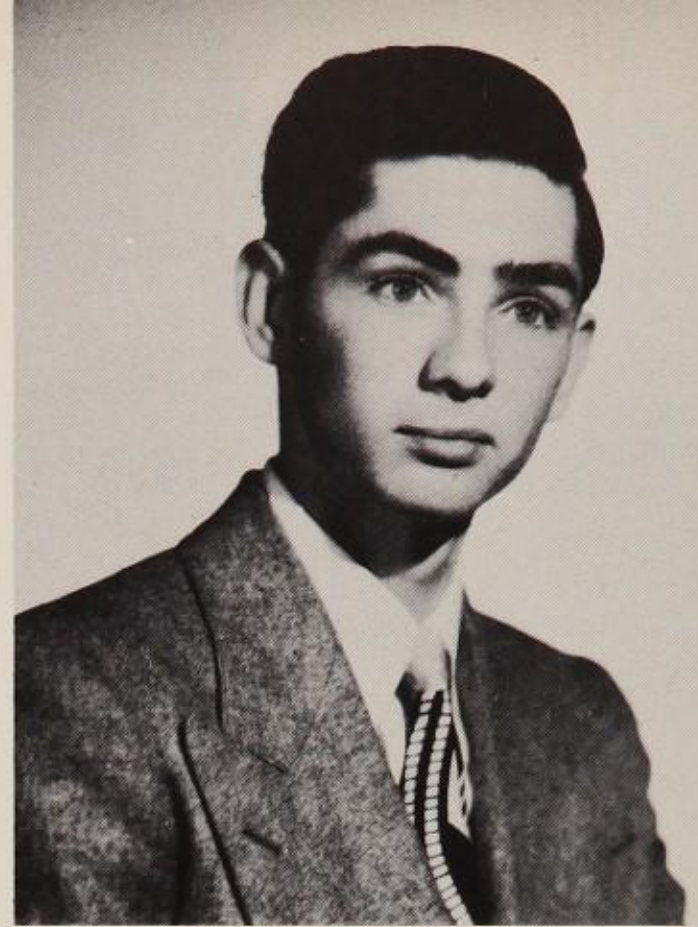
JAMES JOSEPH McNIECE

202 Browning Avenue

Elizabeth

"Mac" came to us in his junior year from St. Mary's High, Elizabeth, and in the short space of two years he has gained, through his pleasant attitude and jovial manner, the friendship of students, as well as, teachers. Athletically inclined, he displayed his fighting spirit in the game of basketball. Besides being active in sports, he has proven himself a capable student. "Mac" has no definite plans for the future, but we are certain that whatever he attempts will lead to success.

Intramural Basketball 3-4.



CLEMENT FRANK MACCIA

74 Hartford Street

Newark

"Always happy, always gay." This little phrase is a summary of the lad whom we know as "Clem" for the years he spent here at St. Benedict's. He was known throughout the school as a fellow whose joviality livened up the darkest hours. His personality is his art and an art which was never misdirected. An outstanding athlete and a competent musician, he will live long in our hearts as our friend Clem!

Class Representative 3; Music Club 2-3-4; Wrestling 3; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 3; Band 2-3-4; Orchestra 2-3; Monogram Club 4.

THOMAS HENRY MAHER

11 Wakefield Place

Caldwell

Known as one of the more socially active members of the senior class, Tom can always be found contributing his support to the various social activities held at the "Hive". His valuable asset of "getting along with people" has made him one of the best liked seniors. Tom has shown his abilities as an active member in the Jeffersonians, and on the basketball court. With his winning personality we are sure he will go far in whatever field he chooses.

Library Staff 1-2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 1-2-3-4.



and the weak not be frightened by its severity.

MITCHELL JOSEPH MAKOWICZ

325 Hamilton Street

Harrison

A friendly smile and a warm personality are "Mitzi's" trademarks at the Bee Hive. With these two qualities, he has labeled himself as a friend of a great number of fellow students. His athletic ability has been clearly defined by his work in the intramural basketball and handball leagues. This serious minded fellow from across the "River", has all the makings for a successful future. We, his classmates, are certain, that no matter what vocation in life that he may choose, it will fill his life with abundant happiness and success. Good luck, "Mitzi"

Honor Man 1-2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 3-4; Jeffersonians 4.



JOSEPH DAVID MALIZEWSKI

233 Jersey Street

Harrison

"Mal" is one of the products of Harrison who needs no introduction. He is known to play a smooth game of basketball in the intramural league. A good friend and an excellent student, he is also an ardent follower of St. Benedict's in the sports world. As he goes forward on life's path, "Mal" can be sure that he is trodding the road of success.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2; Library Staff 1-2; Benedict News 1-2; Forum 1; Pax Club 1-2.

JOHN HENRY MANHARDT

912 Lafayette St

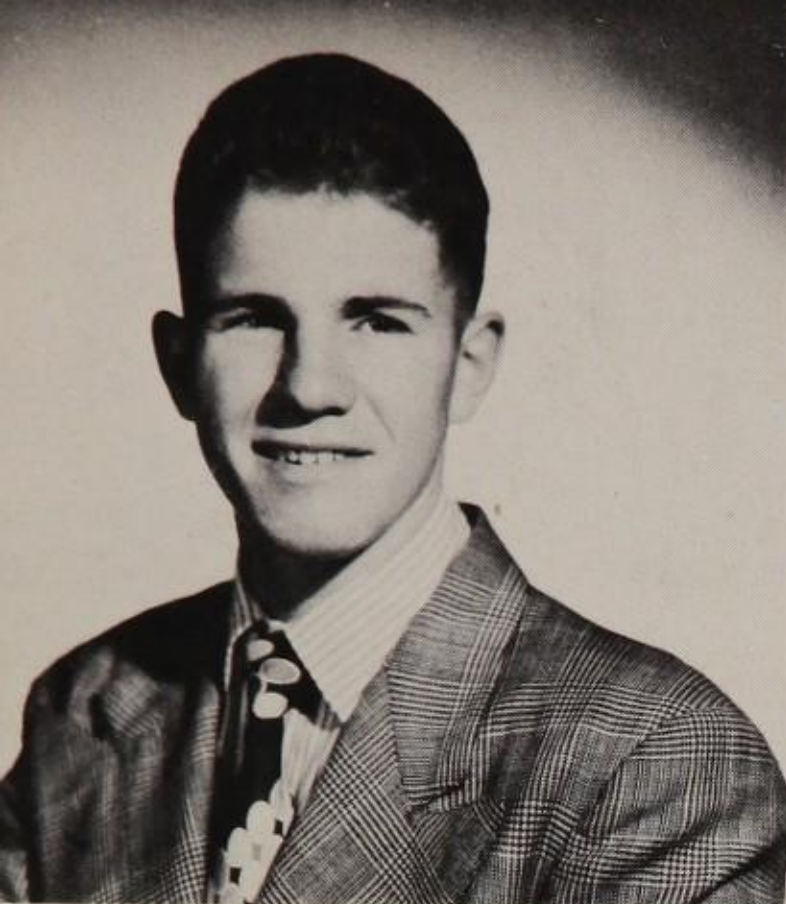
Elizabeth

Put together a good basketball player and a better than average student and you have Jack. Although playing his favorite sport many nights a week, Jack manages to find time for his school work and to turn in creditable grades. He has been one of the mainstays of his class basketball team for four years. Jack hopes to continue on to a career in pharmacy. Good Luck Jack.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-4.



Thus the special norms of eremitic life gave way to Benedictine



RICHARD GEORGE MANHARDT

936 Madison Avenue

Elizabeth

It would take more than these few lines to give a fitting description of this outstanding fellow. In addition to his good work on both the diamond and the court, Dick has been on the honor roll constantly. Ready to help out his fellow classmates, he has engraved his name in gold in the heart of each member of the Class of '48. With all the good qualities which Dick possesses we can see nothing but success for this true Benedict boy.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Class Treasurer 2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 4; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 4; Monogram Club 4; Varsity Baseball 2; Varsity Basketball 4.

BLAISE LOUIS MANZELLA

15 Smallwood Avenue

Belleville

Blaise has been a tireless commuter to the Hive from the little town of Belleville. His ability to adapt himself to any situation is the reason he may be called one of the all around fellows of the senior class. A veritable storehouse of knowledge and a fine athlete, Blaise has won the hearts of his classmates. Whatever vocation in life he decides to elect, we are certain that success will be his.

Intramural Handball 2-3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Cross Country 3.



ALFRED FRANK MARSH

389 Chadwick Avenue

Newark

Al is one of the outstanding fellows in the class of 48, both for his high scholastic standing and for his amiability. In his four years at the Bee Hive he has gathered a host of friends. Al is also a very talented piano player and has made a reputable name for himself "tickling the ivories" at our social gatherings. Whenever the class is represented at festivities, you can be sure that Al will be there to make it a success and to exemplify to the highest degree the standards of St Benedict's.

Honor Man 1-2; Music Club 1-2; Intramural Basketball 1-3; Band 2-3; Monogram Club 4.

Monastic law, outstanding monument of Roman and Christian prudence.



PETER THOMAS MARTIN

34 Maple Street

Kearny

Pete is Kearny's gift to the Bee Hive. Always jovial he is a hard worker both in and out of school. His unassuming manner will stand him well for the future. A class representative in his freshman year he has been one of the more popular seniors. An artist of ability, and an athlete of renown, we wish you, Pete, all possible good wishes for the future.

Class Representative 1; Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Intramural Basketball 3-4; Telolog Staff.

RICHARD MARTINO

17 Hunterdon Street

Newark

Dick's bright personality and friendly smile have endeared him to every member of the senior class. Very energetic and conscientious, he has been successful in both athletic and scholastic work. His excellent work in his studies has balanced his mischievous manner about the school. We are certain that if Dick continues to make use of the fine qualities he possesses, his can be only success in later life.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Class Representative 2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-4; Class Secretary 1.



WILLIAM JOHN MEISTER

430 Avon Avenue

Newark

"Meister", translated in English is "master", and Bill is a master at making friends, and keeping them as part of his happy-go-lucky way. As for his being an all around fellow, he carries the ball for touchdowns. Bill, a product of St. Peters, has been an active participant in sports, especially basketball. "Willy", as he is sometimes called, is really a cross-section of American Youth in one fine fellow. When he leaves the Bee Hive, his smile and ways will be added to the memories of "Ever Dear St. Benedict's".

Honor Man 1; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Jeffersonians 4; J. V. Football 2-3; Freshman Basketball.

It has proven a powerful means to encourage many

HELMER ADAM METZ

709 West Henry Street

Linden

Helmer is one of the outstanding athletes of the class of '48, having starred on the football and track teams for the last three years. His colorful personality and keen sense of humor have made for him many friends and admirers. Besides being a good athlete he also participated in many other activities, having been elected a class representative in his junior year. He has not decided what he wants to do after graduation but whatever he chooses we know he will meet with success. Good luck, Helmer.

Class Representative 2-3; Junior Dance Committee; Varsity Football 2-3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3; Intramural Handball 2-3; Monogram Club 2-3-4; Outdoor Track 2-3-4.



WILLIAM HENRY MORRISSEY

715 William Street

Harrison

Bill, besides being a capable student and an earnest worker, is one of the more popular boys of the Class of '48. His ready smile and amiable disposition have won for him a place in the hearts of his classmates. Anyone knowing of Bill's fine qualities will tell you that Bill can't help but be successful in his future endeavors. Best wishes, Bill.

Library Staff 1; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 2-3; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 4; J. V. Football 2-3.

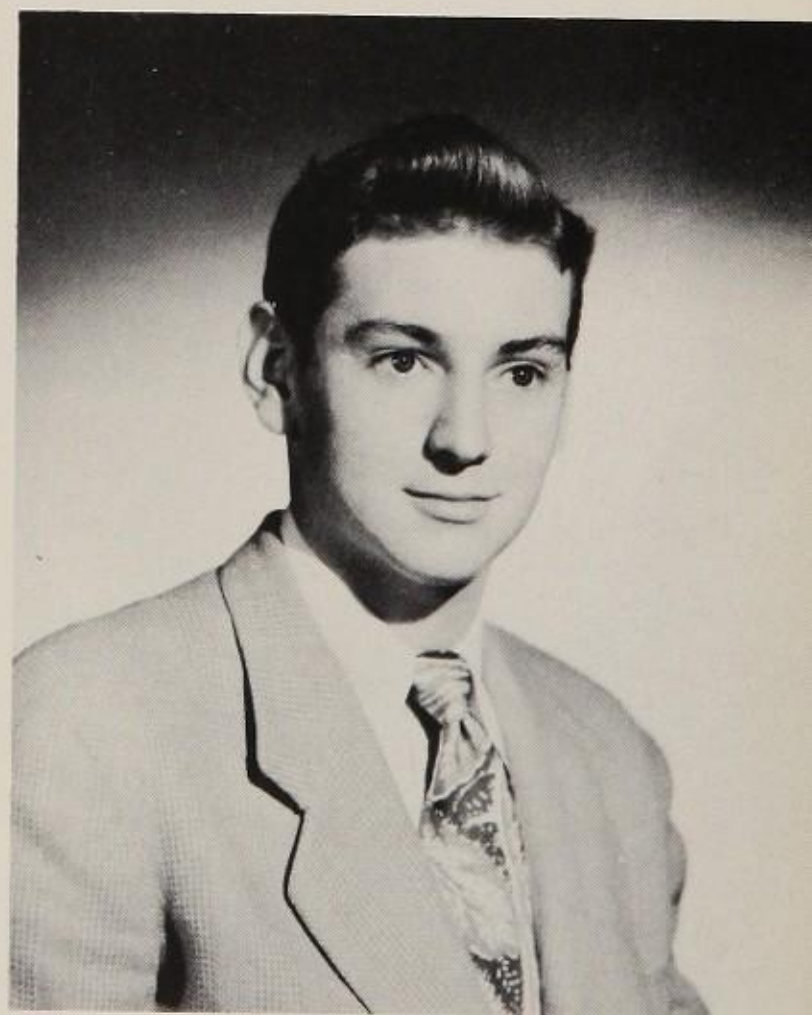
WILLIAM JOSEPH MUELLER

225 Devon Street

Kearny

Bill possesses a pleasing personality and was well liked by all at the Bee Hive. An easy going manner, a quiet disposition, and a conscientious worker: these terms can well be applied to Bill. An avid sports fan, Bill supported the school athletic contests and was a member of the Intramural Basketball All-Star team in his Junior Year. With the sportsmanship and fine qualities he displayed here, we are certain of Bill's success in the future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-4.



to virtue and lead them to sanctity.

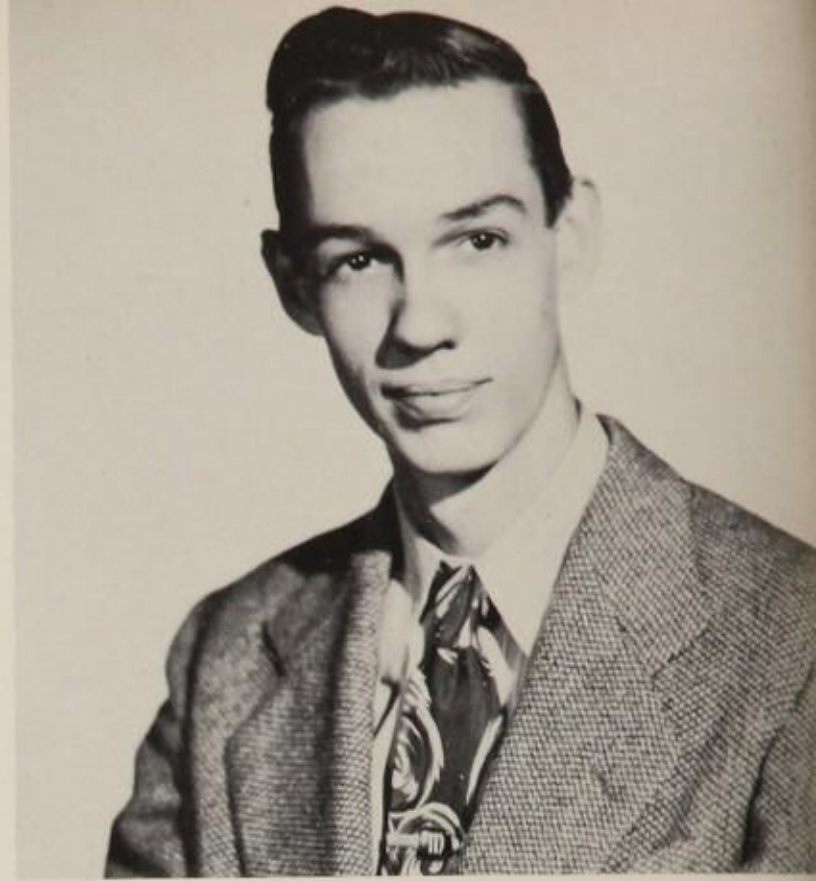
JOHN THOMAS MULVANEY

759 Floral Avenue

Elizabeth

John joined us in our junior year from Thomas Jefferson High School in Elizabeth. Because of his lanky figure he is known throughout the school as "Stretch". He has a very congenial personality and is a "regular fellow." He plans, after leaving St. Benedict's, to enter the business world. We wish him the best of success as he travels the road of life.

Outdoor Track 3.



JOHN THOMAS MURPHY

24 McKinley Avenue

West Orange

During the four years that John has spent in St. Benedict's, he has always been an inspiration to his classmates. His school spirit was of a high caliber as his first interest was always the support of the school's activities. John likes all sports but he excels in basketball. He played intramural basketball and was a credit to his team. When you think of a charming personality and a well mannered fellow you think about John Murphy. Best wishes to a swell fellow.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.



BERNARD WALTER MURTHA

86 South Eighth Street

Newark

Adept at making friends, Buddy will always be remembered for his quick wit, his comical gestures, and his jovial manner. A sportsman of ability, a real help to the Telolog staff, and a high scholastic record, characterizes Buddy. We see nothing but success for him in his future endeavors.

Honor Man 2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 4.

Christian humility is joined to virile virtue, mildness,



CARLO JOHN NEGRO

85 Winans Avenue

Newark

This busy little 'Bee' joined the Hive four years ago, and since then has been an active member of the finest type. In his four years, Carlo has achieved a record of which any student might well be proud. An ideal student, active in affairs both scholastic and athletic and popular among his fellows, he has won the hearts of all. We are certain that this fine musician and composer will be a credit to the school which wishes him well.

Intramural Basketball Manager 2; Music Club 3; Telolog Staff.

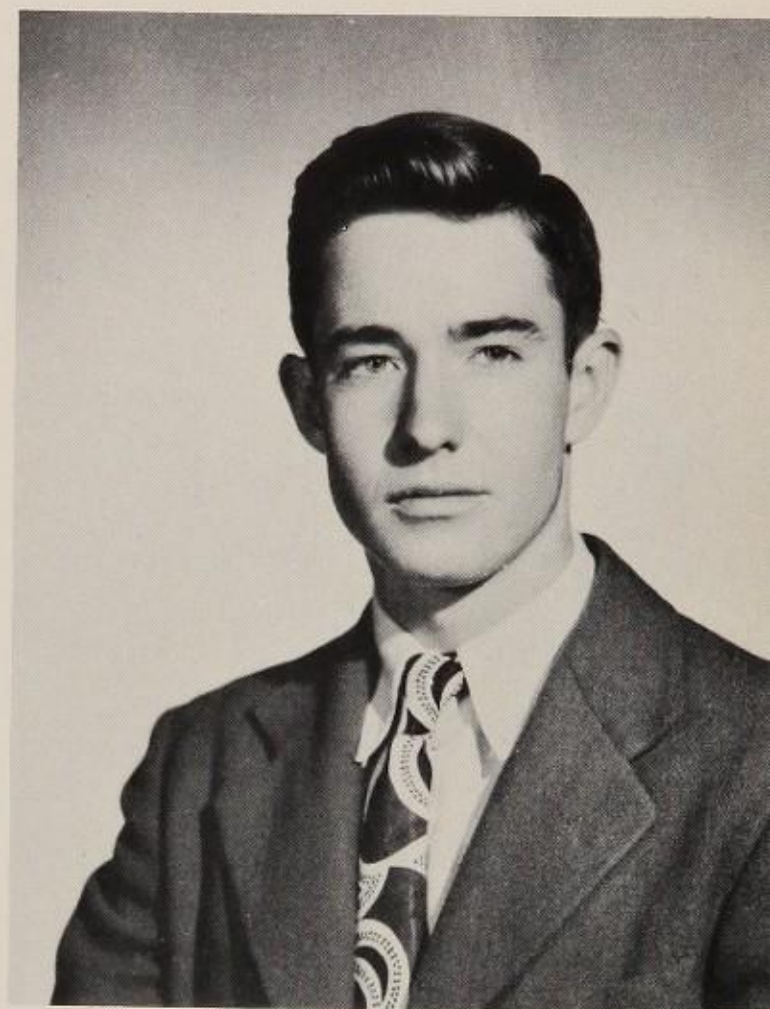
CHARLES LEO NICHOLSON

713 Balsam Way

Union

Since Charlie came to Benedict's he has won the close friendship of the fellows with his fine personality and warm smile. A participant in class activities, he was a strong supporter of all school affairs. On the sports scene, Charlie participated in golf which was his favorite sport; it brought him state-wide fame. Though undecided as to a career we are certain that success and happiness will be with him always.

Honor Man 1-2-4; Class Representative 1; Music Club 3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff; Golf Team 1-2-3-4; Band 3-4; J. V. Basketball 3.



JOHN ANTHONY NICODEMI

100 Seventh Avenue

Newark

During his four years at St. Benedict's, John has made many valuable friends. A good conversation is always enhanced by his talented sense of humor. John's attractive personality accounts for his popularity. To one who has had so much success at the Hive, we want to wish more. His fellow students know that John will take all honors at Villanova where he intends to complete his studies.

Honor Man 1; Indoor Track 3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Jeffersonians 1-2-3-4; Pax Club 4; Outdoor Track 3-4; Cross Country 3-4.

tempers severity, and a healthy freedom ennobles due submission.



JAMES JOSEPH O'CONNELL

42 Cortland Street

Newark

A friend of all and an enemy of none, Jim joined our ranks as a freshman. His affability soon won for him many friends among his classmates. His beaming Irish smile and the mischievous twinkle in his eye have made him a most popular member of our group. A good student and a fine athlete, we are proud to have known Jim. We wish him well when he enters the long road of life ahead.

Sargent Art Club 1; J. V. Baseball 2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 2.

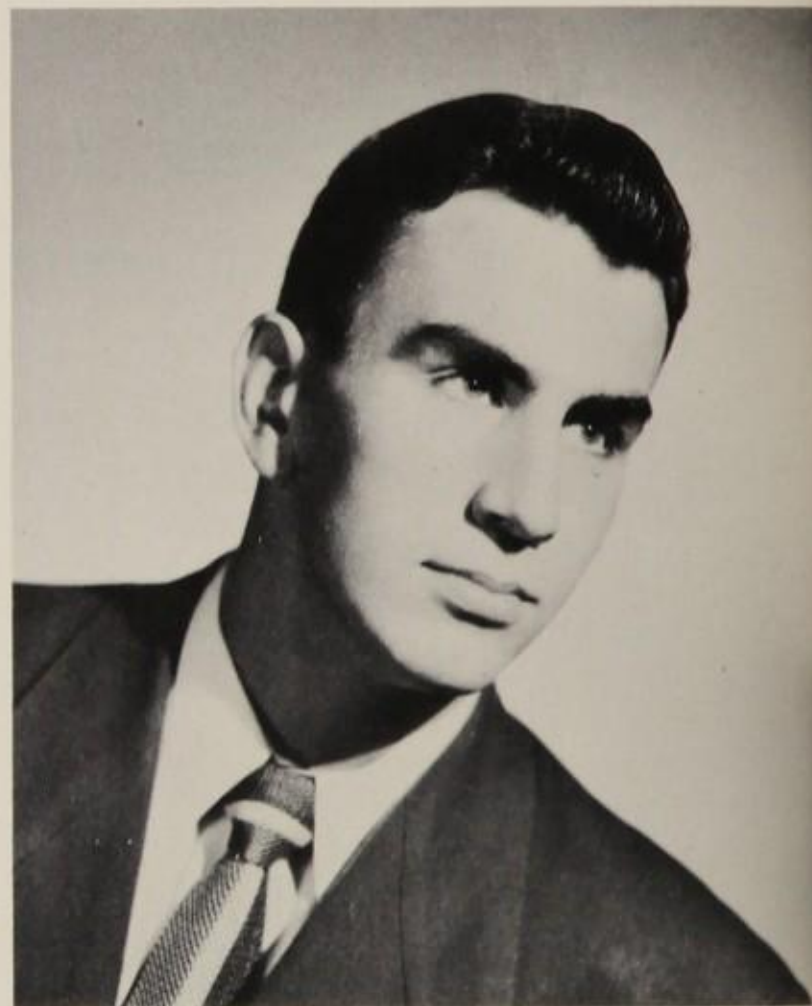
MATHIAS JOSEPH O'GORMAN

86 North Seventh Street

Newark

Better known to his classmates as Matt, this lad has won a name for himself in the sports world as state hurdling champion. He has a cheerful "Hello" and a warm smile for all. He also was quite popular among his classmates as shown by his election to the Class Presidency in his freshman and sophomore years. His foresight and personality should win for Matt a high rung on the ladder of success.

Honor Man 2; Class President 1-2; Class Representative 3; Junior Dance Committee; Indoor Track 4, Captain; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 4; Monogram Club 1-2-3-4; Outdoor Track 2-3-4; Captain 4.



BERNARD JOHN O'KANE

45 South Sixth Street

Newark

St. Joseph's greatest gift to the Class of '48 was Bernie O'Kane. He has been a most popular member of the class during his stay with us. Bernie was active in intramural basketball and C.Y.O. sports. When anyone was despondent he could always count on a big smile from Bernie to cheer him up. His greatest ambition is to be a dentist. Knowing him as we do, we are certain that he will be a success in that profession.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.

The rule which Benedict, the man of God, wrote for the monks was

JOHN EDWARD ORMSBY

171 North Fifth Street

Newark

John has journeyed every single day for four years to the Bee Hive in order to absorb knowledge for future undertakings. He has been known about the school as a regular fellow and a popular personality. Adept in the athletic world, he is also a fine student. What we at Benedict's lose, the world will gain. Our heartiest wishes for success are with him wherever he goes.



LOUIS PADAVANO

31 Delancy Street

Newark

A true friend and an all around fellow is the description we give you of Lou. He has an easy going manner and a pleasant personality. Lou's popularity cannot be traced to conspicuousness, but rather to friendship. These attributes have given him a warm place in the hearts of his fellow classmates, and for this reason we know that he will have no difficulties when he sets out upon the hard journey of life. Best wishes to a true Benedict student.

Honor Man 1-2; Intramural Basketball 1-2; Pax Club 2-3-4; Jeffersonians 3-4; Telolog Staff.

LEON EDWIN PASZEK

30 South Orange Avenue

Newark

Leon, known to his friends as "Lee" is a student of excellent character. Throughout his four years in school, he has been one of the better students of his class. He has been an ardent rooter at every varsity game. After school his favorite hobbies are model airplane building and bowling. After graduation, Lee hopes to become an electrical engineer, and we are certain he will be successful.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.



outstanding for wisdom and elegant in language.

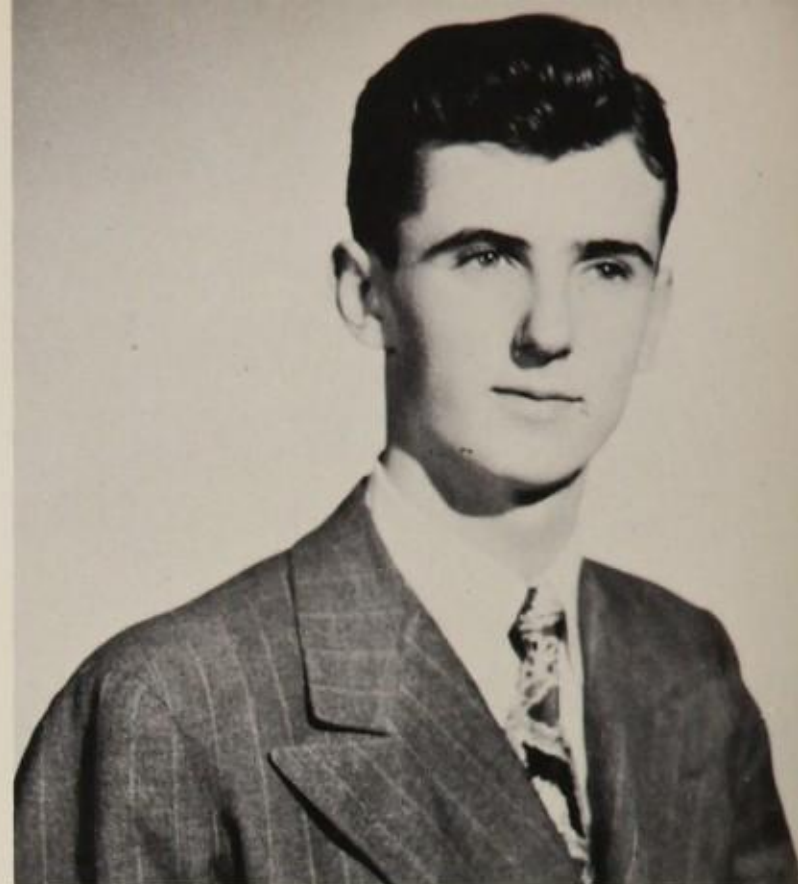
JOSEPH ANTHONY PAVLISKO

50 Park Avenue

Caldwell

Joe is Caldwell's gift to the Bee Hive. A great chemist and math enthusiast, he has the qualities of a great leader of men. Joe has a rich sense of humor which makes him well liked among the members of the class of '48. No social activity would be a complete success without his presence, because he is the possessor of a happy-go-lucky disposition which radiates mirth. Joe has many preferences but sharp dressing tops them all. Best wishes, Joe.

Library Staff 1; Intramural Basketball 1; Jeffersonians 3-4; Telolog Staff.



JOSEPH ANTHONY PINO

141 Rose Street

Newark

Joe, a leader in scholastic work, the possessor of a winning smile and charming personality, has been a typical Benedict student. Neatness in dress has put Joe in a special class of his own. His wonderful work as an excellent gymnast, has proved to the class of '48 that he is a capable athlete. With the athletic prowess and the "Benedict Spirit" that singles Joe out at the Bee Hive, the best of success is in store for him in the future.

Honor Man 2.



EUGENE FRANCIS PRESTON

328 Waverly Place

South Orange

A winsome smile and cheerful personality came into our lives this past year in the person of Gene. Although new to us he has won our hearts completely. A good student and a basketball player of outstanding ability, Gene has carved for himself a name in the roster of the Class of '48. Best wishes to a fine fellow in the years to come.

Varsity Basketball 4.

The monastic community resembles the Christian home over



CHARLES ALBERT REAGAN

202 North Fifth Street

Harrison

"Chud" is another staunch son of the famous little town across the river, Harrison. In his four years at the Bee Hive, he has brought many a hearty laugh from his numerous friends, by his sparkling wit and humor. He could always be found in a group defending his home town against the foe. These qualities which he possesses aided by his four years training and experience at St. Benedict's, will help him to attain success in the future. Best Wishes, "Chud"

Class Representative 1; Library Staff 1; Wrestling 3-4.

FRANCIS LOUIS RECINIELLO

675 North Seventh Street

Newark

After the day's hard toil in school, plus his many extra-curricular activities, Frank is ready for more activity. Living within a few blocks of Benedict Field, it is no wonder that the "Roach" has come to be associated with the sports life of the Bee Hive. Frank, a quiet sort of fellow, is always ready with a helping hand. A fine fellow of his calibre is most certain of success in his future endeavors.

Pax Club 2-3-4; Benedict News 3-4; Jeffersonians 3-4; Monogram Club 4; Cross Country Manager 4; Intramural Basketball 1-2; Library Staff 1-3-4.



FRANCIS JOSEPH REILLY

619 Jefferson Avenue

Elizabeth

Like many other Benedict boys, "Frank" hails from the famed town of Elizabeth. His quick smile and friendly spirit are readily attested to by the friends that he has made in his four years at the Bee Hive. Frank has been a popular member of the Jeffersonians having been elected to the office of secretary in his senior year. We can assure him nothing but success in any field that he chooses.

Honor Man 1; Library Staff 1; Junior Dance Committee; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 2-3-4, Secretary 4; Pax Club 1-2.



which the Abbot presides like the father of a family.



JAMES FRANCIS REILLY

Echo Lake Road

Newfoundland

The country has given us its pride and joy in the person of jovial Jim. He does not worry nor does he care, for today is today and tomorrow is yet to come. He has acquired many friends at the Hive by his cheerfulness and wit. We know that he will be successful in whatever walk of life he chooses. Best wishes to one who has made our four years happy and joyous.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 2-3.

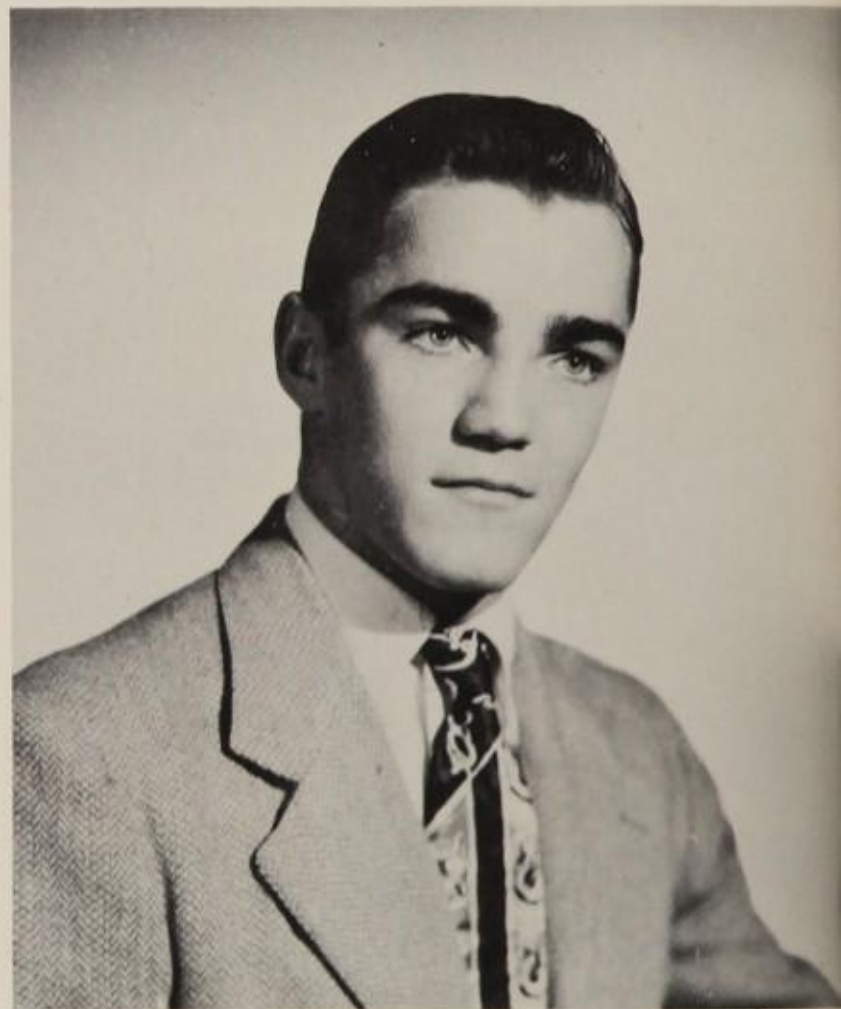
WILLIAM PETER REILLY

423 Jauncey Avenue

Lyndhurst

An outstanding youth of high calibre, Bill has won the admiration of both faculty and students. Honest, sincere, and loyal to the class, he is a real Benedict boy. His fine football prowess is known to all; his scholastic achievements deserve the highest honor and acclaim. Socially adept, Bill has been an inspiration to us all. Best wishes to a grand fellow on the highway of life.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Class Representative 2-3; Varsity Football 3-4; J. V. Football 2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Monogram Club 3-4; Outdoor Track 1-2.



WILLIAM FRANCIS ROCK

70 Fabyan Place

Newark

When the St. Benedict's band and orchestra came into being once again in our junior year, Bill was one of its charter members. His capable handling of the alto horn and trumpet has increased his popularity in the band, while we have all watched his masterful technique at the piano during our assemblies. Besides the band, Bill has many other successes to his credit. Bill's scholastic ability, charming personality, and resourcefulness have won for him many friends at the Bee Hive and will continue to do so when he reaches the pinnacle of success in the future.

Music Club 3-4; Band 3-4; Monogram Club 4.

To the Holy monasteries flocked aspirants from every race

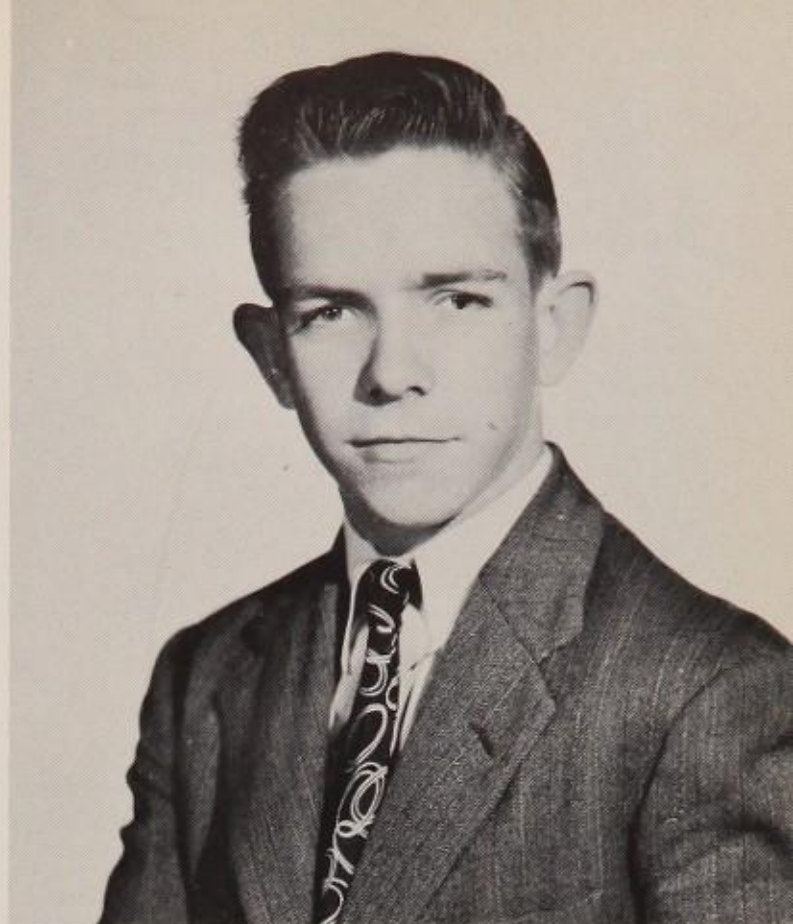
CHARLES ANDREW ROSS

18 North Twelfth Street

Newark

Charley is a quiet, likeable fellow who makes friends and keeps them. This fair-haired boy has made a specialty of intramural basketball during his last two years for which we rate him highly. His smile would beguile you while quite a few jeweled pieces of wit poured forth from his angelic countenance. After graduation Charley intends to go to Rutgers and we are certain that nothing but success is in store for him.

Intramural Basketball 3-4.



ANGELO AMIL RUM

194 1/2 Astor Street

Newark

Four years ago our portals opened to admit a fine young fellow in the person of Angelo. A musician of ability, he has proved his worth as a member of the class of '48. His pleasant smile was always an indication of the true Benedict spirit within him. Whatever profession he decides to choose, we are certain that success will be his.

Library Staff 1; Music Club 2-3; Wrestling 3; Intramural Basketball 1-2; Band 2-3; Orchestra 3-4; Monogram Club 3-4.

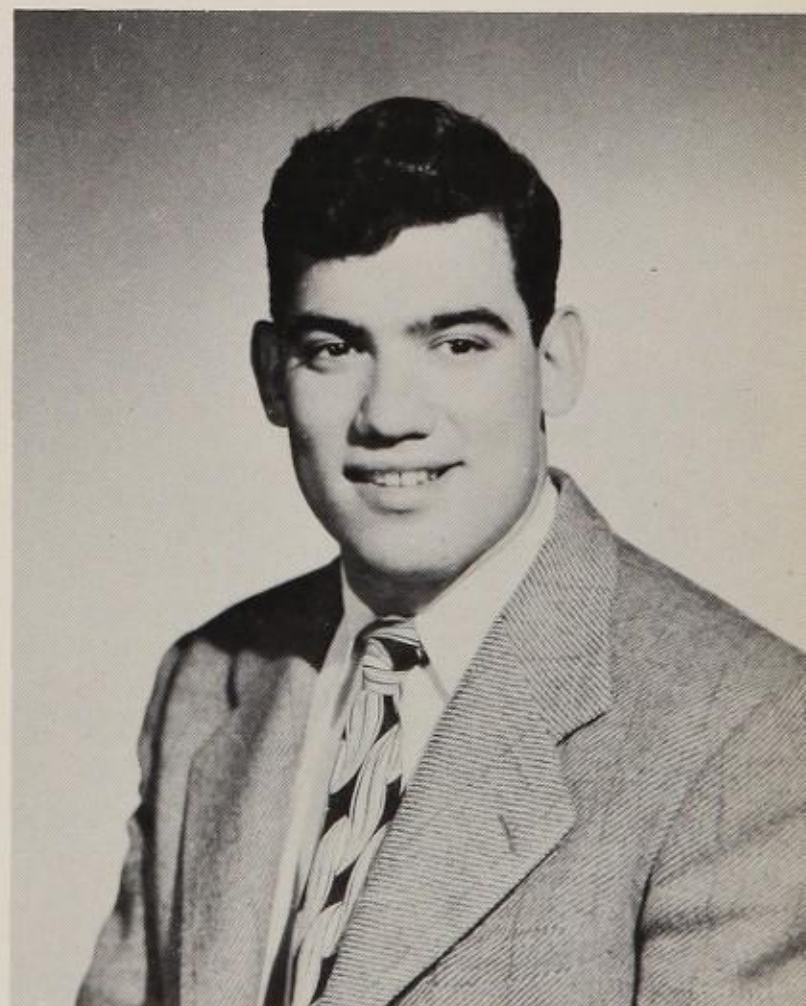
ANTHONY JOSEPH RUSSO

67 Summit Avenue

Newark

Following his return from the Navy, Tony re-entered St. Benedict's in his junior year. During the time we have known him, "Tony" has shown signs of being quiet and bashful, but his friends know better. He has a character so sincere and honest, that he has gained the friendship of all his classmates. Displaying the qualities of intelligence in the classroom and ability on the gridiron, Tony has proved himself a capable fellow. Much happiness to one who will be remembered as "a pal".

Varsity Football 3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2; Monogram Club; Varsity Baseball 3-4; J. V. Football 1-2.



and people, and from all classes of citizens.

NORMAN ARCHIE ST. JOHN

29 Seymour Avenue

Newark

The "Saint" has shown his versatility both in athletics and in his studies. His congenial manner has made for him many friends during his four years at the Hive. A social event is never complete without the "Saint's" pleasing personality to insure the success of the evening. With these outstanding characteristics we all know he will find nothing but success in the future.

Honor Man 2; Class Representative 1-2; Junior Dance Committee; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 4; J. V. Football 2; J. V. Basketball 3.



JOHN WILLIAM SALM JR.

93 Gotthart Street

Newark

Jack, a very ambitious fellow, has worked very diligently in an editorial capacity on the Benedict News. He has always been near the top of the honor roll. If you are looking for him during lunch period, he is easily found as the center of joviality in his group. Jack has been a great supporter of the athletic events and manager of the basketball team during his junior and senior year. With his fine personality and eagerness to help his classmates we are all sure that he will be successful in life.

Honor Man 1-2-4; Intramural Basketball 2-3-4; Varsity Basketball (Manager) 3-4; Benedict News 3-4; Monogram Club 4.

RICHARD MICHAEL SCHNEIDER

75½ Marne Street

Newark

"Horse" as he is called by all his friends, is a representative of St. Benedict's Grammar School located in that section that we all know as "Down Neck". During the four years Dick has been here, he has won many friends with his pleasing personality. He showed his interest in sports by participating in the various class games, and was successful in everything which he undertook. We know that he will succeed in whatever walk of life he intends to pursue, and will be a credit to his Alma Mater. Good Luck, Dick.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1.



Benedict says, "Whether bondman, or freeman, we are all one"



RICHARD ALBERT SCHNEPF

81 Darcy Street

Newark

"Nep" as he is called by his friends, is one of the best liked chaps in the school. He has a personality, which is not easily surpassed. As a scholar, he has worked diligently proving himself an excellent student. He was a gentleman at all times. Success is sure to be his, and we are all certain that he will attain it in whatever field he chooses to pursue.

Honor Man 1; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff.

FRANCIS WILLIAM SEERY

931 Anna Street

Elizabeth

Elizabeth couldn't have given us a finer gentleman and a more scholarly fellow than our own Frank. His mathematical abilities have amazed us more than once, and his high grades attest to Frank's all around ability. His skill on the basketball court coupled with his friendly personality and informal attitude have gained for him the friendship of student and teachers alike. While at the Hive, Frank has found time for extra-curricular activities. Judging from character and past performance, we are confident that Frank's name may be looked for and found in the headlines of tomorrow.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3; Rifle Club 3.



WILLIAM RICHARD SHERRY

14 North Road

Nutley

Bill's friendly personality and easy disposition made him one of the most popular boys in the senior class. A clever basketball player, he led the intramural league in scoring in his junior year. Good marks come naturally to him, and he has never relinquished the high position on the Honor Roll that he gained as a freshman. Excellent in all subjects, he plans to take up chemistry in later life. We wish you all the luck in the world, Bill.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Class Representative 1-2-3; Junior Dance Committee; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff; Benedict News 2-3; J. V. Basketball 3; J. V. Baseball 2-3.



in Christ and bear an equal burden of servitude under one Lord.



EDMUND PAUL SHEVLIN

28-1 Garden Terrace

North Arlington

It was St. Benedict's good fortune to have "Red" as one of our own, for these past two years, because during these years "Red" has proven himself to be one of our best. Showing no sluggishness in athletic endeavors and proving to be an exceptional student, "Red" fills the role perfectly as an all around fellow. He has placed high on the honor roll for two years and his popularity was attested when in his first year at "520" he was named president of the Rifle Club. Keen sportmanship and a willing personality assure Edmund of a bright future for the path of life.

Honor Man 3-4; Rifle Club 3, President.

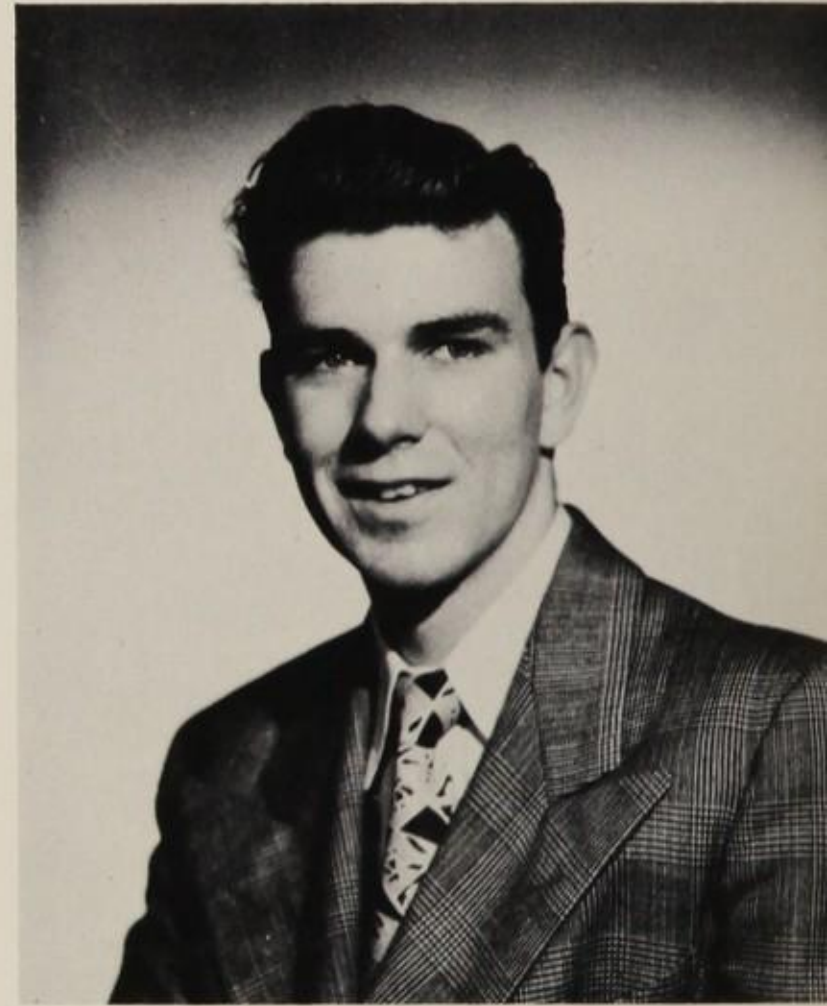
WILLIAM ROBERTSON SHIELDS

8 Tappan Street

Kearny

Bill, a native of Kearny, has proved himself to be a typical Benedict man. He has been one of the most outstanding members of the class in both social and athletic activities. He is the type of fellow who will succeed because his determination overcomes all obstacles. His genuine sincerity has won for him a host of friends here at the Bee Hive, who wish him well in future undertakings.

Class Representative 3; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.



VALENTINE MICHAEL SILBERNAGEL, JR.

499 Stuyvesant Avenue

Irvington

Val is Irvington's only gift to the senior class. Music, is his ambition in life; we have all noted his excellent work at the drums. Always in the midst of school activities and possessing an outstanding personality he has won for himself many friends. Always ready to help his fellow students, he is neither bold nor bashful but can be summarized as a cheerful, friendly and sincere member of the class of '48. All these assets insure for him a prosperous and happy future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-4; Intramural Handball 2.

Therefore let there be a love for all, let all be subject to the

ROBERT PAUL SMITH

103 Hedden Terrace

Newark

The first day that Bob entered the Bee Hive it was evident to all that he possessed the qualities of an outstanding student. With a twinkle in his eye and a smile on his face, he went about his daily work. Bob has freely given his time and effort for the benefit of the class and has been an active participant in all social activities. We are all aware of Bob's musical talent and are also certain that he will display his worth in the field of engineering, which he intends to pursue. Best wishes to Bob.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Wrestling 4; Band 2-3; Senior Dance Committee; Music Club 2-3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Jeffersonians 4; Monogram Club 3-4; Camera Club 2; Business Manager of the Telolog.



RONALD ROBERT SORIANO

498 Roseville Avenue

Newark

Ron has never changed a bit in the four years he has been with us. During our time together, he has always been the agreeable, smiling Ron that everyone knew. Always up to something yet he never hurts or offends anyone. A musician of ability, we are sure that success will crown his future endeavors.

Music Club 2-3-4; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 4; Band 2-3-4; Monogram Club 3.

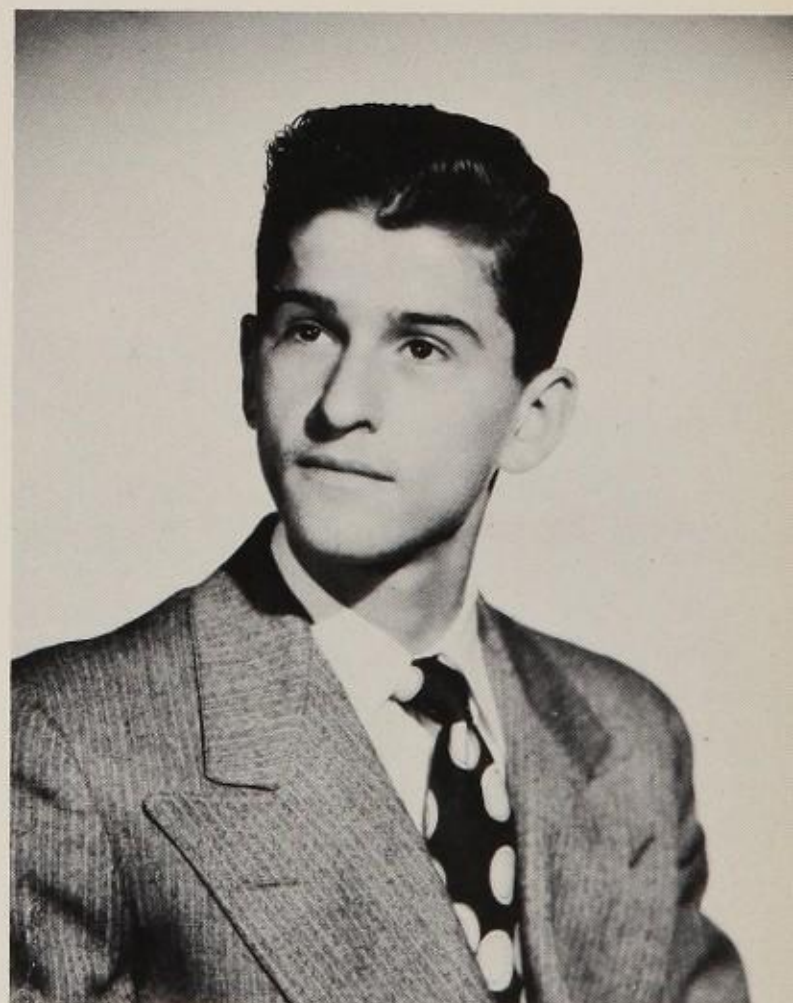
CHARLES ANTHONY SPATOLA

72 Sussex Avenue

Newark

Charlie is a well liked and popular chap in the Senior Class. He is an athlete of no mean ability, while his smiling countenance portrays his kindly heart. He is a boy of high, noble character; he personifies honesty and integrity and above all, he is a gentleman in every sense of the word. We are certain of Charlie's success in whatever field he pursues in the future.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2-3-4.



same disciple according to their desert.

EDWARD JOSEPH STEVENS

49 Harrison Avenue

West Orange

After his graduation from Our Lady of Lourdes School, Ed entered the Bee Hive. Because of his good nature, his jovial manner, his willingness, and his pleasing personality, he became one of the most popular fellows in the class. He is a conscientious student and a sincere friend. Athletics also hold a great interest for him, especially basketball at which he is an adept player. Ed plans to further his education at Montclair State Teachers College, and we are of the opinion that whatever he undertakes will be a success.

Honor Man 1-2; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 4; J. V. Baseball 2.



CARL JOSEPH STUDER

21 Maplewood Avenue

Maplewood

Carl is an outstanding senior who has always had the interest of his class and his school at heart. During the time we have known him he has helped us all both scholastically and socially. An excellent athlete and a diligent student, Carl has endeared himself to everyone of us. Basketball, wrestling and handball are but a few of his athletic accomplishments. Best wishes to a real "Gray Bee" on the road of life.

Honor Man 1-3-4; Senior Dance Committee; Wrestling 3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2-3-4; Sophomore Team Manager; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 4.

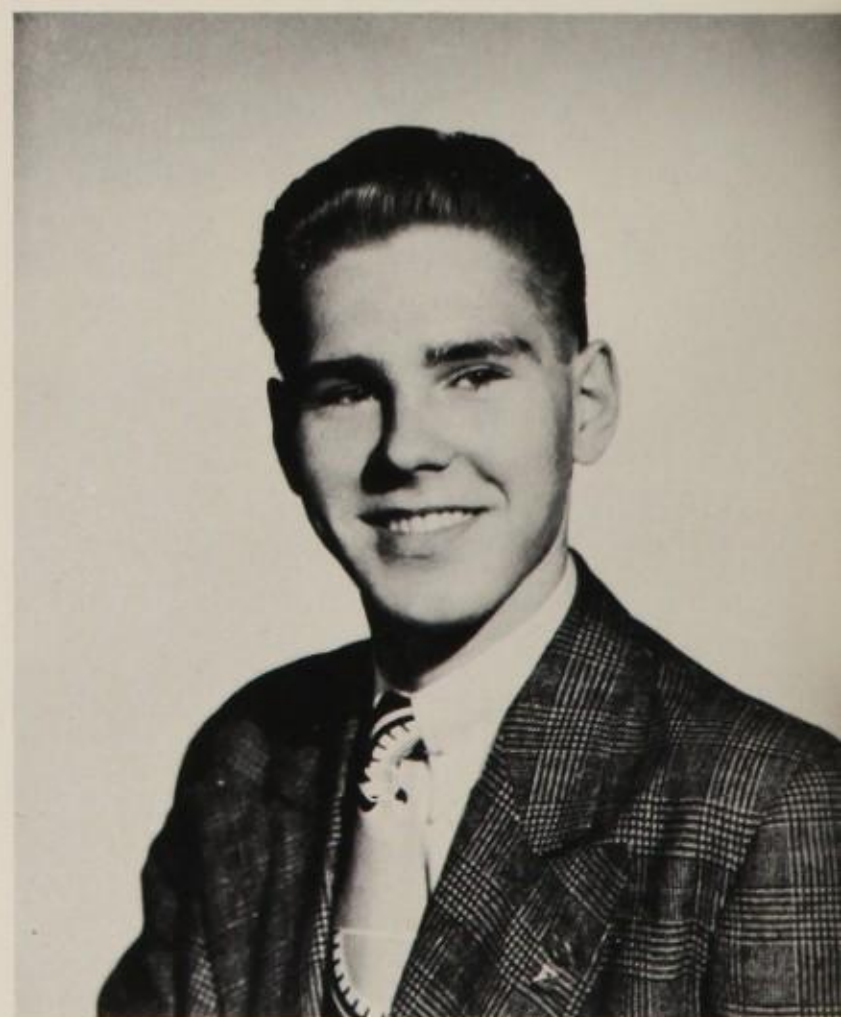
EUGENE PETER STYPINSKI

768 South Eighteenth Street

Newark

Always ready to extend a quick hello, Gene was "one of the boys", because of his spontaneous smile and fine sense of humor which have characterized him throughout his four years at the Bee Hive. His outstanding personality at social events have made him one of the most popular members of the Class of '48. On the basketball court Gene's alertness and fair play have proven his ability in the field of athletics. His main ambition is to become a lawyer. Best wishes, Gene.

Junior Dance Committee; Senior Dance Committee; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 3-4; J. V. Basketball 3.



It is of first importance for all that with the utmost diligence



WILLIAM LEO SUCKEY, JR

377 Sixth Avenue

Newark

Bill is an ex-Navy Air Corps gunner who entered our class last year to finish his high school education. Bill is a popular member of our class participating in all our activities. Because of his pleasant smile, and welcome humor, he has gladdened the halls of the Bee Hive. Someday we hope to see Bill in his office, with the title of "Doctor", before his name. Best of everything.

Varsity Baseball 2-3-4; Music Club 3; J. V. Football 1; Varsity Football 2-3; J. V. Basketball 1; Intramural Basketball 1-2; J. V. Baseball 1; Telolog Staff Forum 3-4; Orchestra 4; Glee Club 3-4; President of the International Relations Forum.

ALAN RICHARD SUMMERTON

1065 Fanny Street

Elizabeth

Al is well known for the ability he has displayed on the basketball court. His activities however are not limited to sports, for he is an equally accomplished student in scholastic work. Al's excellent disposition bespeaks the fine character which gained for him many friends. We look forward to his great success, and we predict an excellent future for Al if he retains the many qualities he has displayed here at St. Benedict's.

Honor Man 1-2; Class Representative 2-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff; J. V. Basketball 3.



DANIEL JOSEPH SWEENEY

65 South Ninth Street

Newark

Dan's Irish smile helped him win a host of friends during his stay at St. Benedict's, while his optimistic outlook has cheered his many "buddies" daily. As a student Dan has done well and was admired by all his teachers. Whenever there was fun to be had, you would always find Dan willing and waiting to do his share. Wherever he goes, we can be sure that an all around good fellow such as he, will meet with many friends and much success.

Library Staff 1; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2-3; Telolog Staff; Jeffersonians 2-3-4.



and greatest care, that nothing be preferred to the work of God."



DONALD THOMAS SWEENEY

73 Fairmount Avenue

Newark

Don will always be remembered as one of the better dressed members of the Class of '48'. His election as representative of Senior E attested to his popularity. A good dancer and a sociable fellow, Don was always ready to do a favor or lend a helping hand while his interest was always toward that of the class. To one with a pleasant smile and fine sense of humor, we wish all the blessings that he may need in attaining his ultimate goal.

Class Representative 4; Senior Dance Committee; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Telolog Staff.

ANTHONY JOSEPH SYLVESTER

77 Summit Avenue

Newark

Gifted with the ability to acquire friends readily and to be outstanding in a group, Tony was unquestionably one of St. Benedict's more popular students. His affable and disarming demeanor gracefully accompanied a mental brilliance of merit. His accumulation of gifts and his willingness to work give promise of marked achievement in whatever field he elects to enter.

Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.



EUGENE ALBERT TOMBLER

302 Chestnut Street

Roselle

Eugene, as Roselle's gift to St. Benedict's, brings with him the friendly atmosphere of that pleasant town. His beaming smile, which manifests his amiable spirit, signifies his scholastic policy of "Just for today." Courteous, upright, loyal . . . these are but a few drops from the reservoir of Gene's attributes. We are sure that if he continues to radiate his familiar good will and the "Happy to be alive" spirit, Gene will ascend swiftly and surely in the ranks of Christ's army.

Intramural Basketball 3; Pax Club 2.



EDWIN LARCOMBE TOMLINSON

327 Thompson Avenue

Roselle

Tommy can be described in just three words, one grand fellow. He is always ready to lend a helping hand to any class activity. "Ace" displayed his talents on the intramural court these four years at St. Benedict's. With his fine character, his many capabilities, and with his ever-present smile, Tommy is assured all the admiration and success which he deserves.

Intramural Basketball 2-3-4; Honor Man 1; Forum 1.



ROBERT ARTHUR VAIL

906 South 18th Street

Newark

Four years ago Bob came to the Bee Hive from Blessed Sacrament school. During his stay here, his smile, his disposition, and his personality have made for him many lasting friends. Bob is interested in athletics, taking part in both intramural and C. Y. O. basketball. After graduation from St. Benedict's he intends to enter college, to carry on his interest in pharmacy. We wish Bob luck, and we know that he will attain the heights of success which he deserves.

Junior Dance Committee; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramural Handball 1-2-3-4.



RICHARD DANIEL WALSH

366 Seymour Avenue

Newark

"Red" the possessor of a friendly personality, has proven himself, during his stay here, to be one of the "boys." Many a day would have been dull except for the humor introduced in class by our red-headed friend. "Red's" chief interest was basketball, having played in both the intramural league and the C. Y. O. league. In the future we wish you the best of luck, Red!

Intramural Basketball 2-3-4.

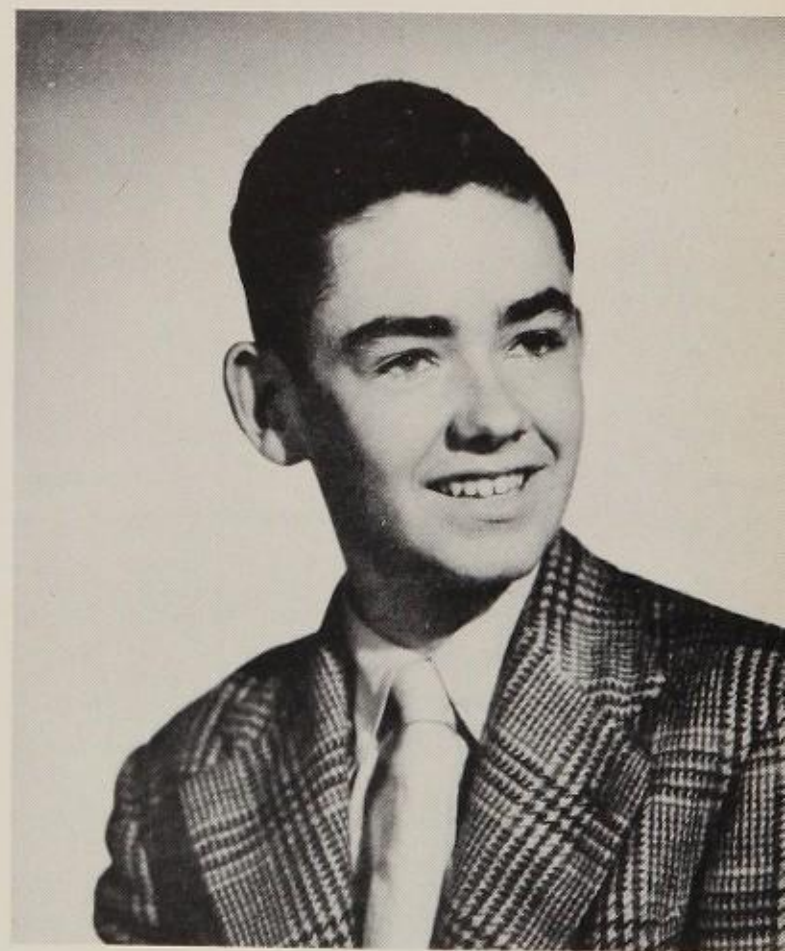
ROBERT FRANCIS WALSH, JR.

45 Fairview Avenue

North Plainfield

Bob's standing on the Honor Roll speaks for itself when it comes to judging his ability as a student. To him, more than anyone else, goes the credit for the success of the '48 Telolog. As Editor-in-Chief of the Telolog and Associate Editor of the Benedict News, he has won fame. His cage ability has given him an equally high rating on his class team. We know that Bob will be successful in the future and we wish him every happiness.

Honor Man 1-2-3-4; Editor of the Telolog; Benedict News 2-3-4; Intramural Basketball 1-2-3-4.



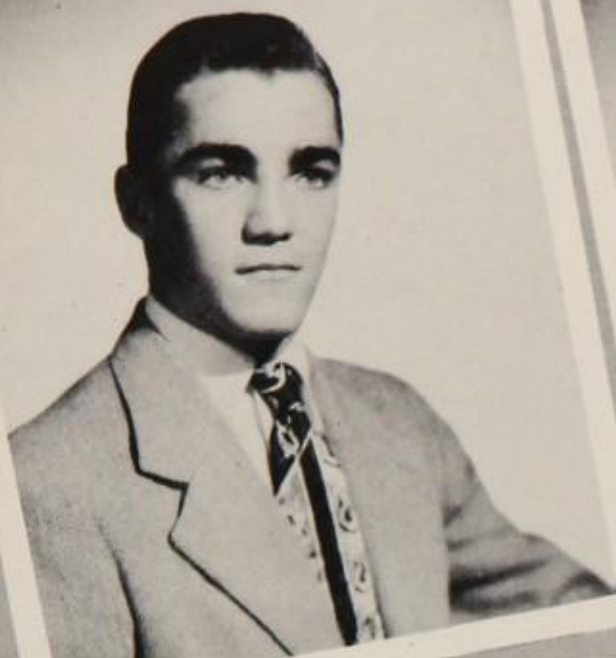
RUDOLPH JULIUS WICKEL, JR.

35 South Prospect Street

Verona

As a member of the Telolog staff and the Jeffersonians, Rudy achieved success. Endowed with an alert mind and a proficiency in social affairs Rudy has made his four years at St. Benedict's very popular. His smile and keen sense of humor have brought many enjoyable moments to his classmates. Although very active socially he has maintained a high scholastic rating. With these qualities we are sure he will be successful.

Junior Dance Committee; Junior Prom Committee; Telolog Staff, Asst. Business Manager; Jeffersonians 1-2-3-4; Benedict News 4.



**MOST OUTSTANDING
WILLIAM REILLY**



**ALL AROUND FELLOW
JOHN GRIGGS**



**BEST STUDENT
ROBERT WALSH**



**BEST BUSINESSMAN
ROBERT SMITH**



**BEST FOOTBALL PLAYER
HELMER METZ**



**BEST BASEBALL PLAYER
VICTOR KAWALEC**



**BEST BASKETBALL PLAYER
JOSEPH McEVOY**

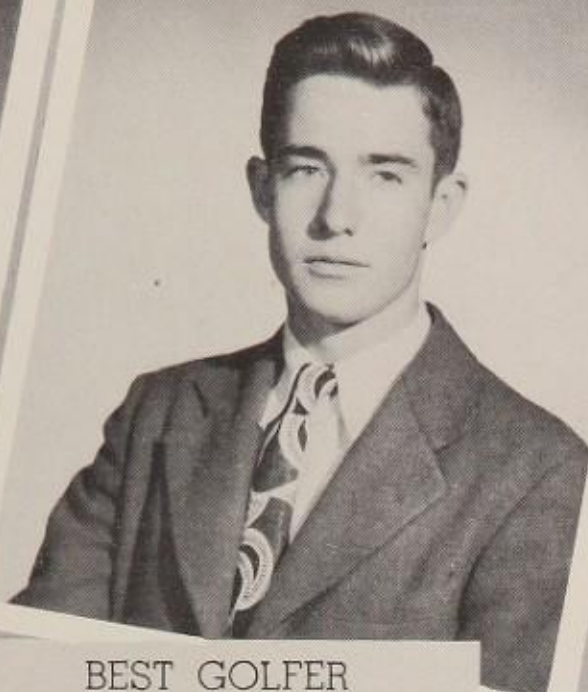


**BEST TRACK MAN
MATHIAS O'GORMAN**

*We
Voted*



BEST WRESTLER
RALPH CONFESSORE



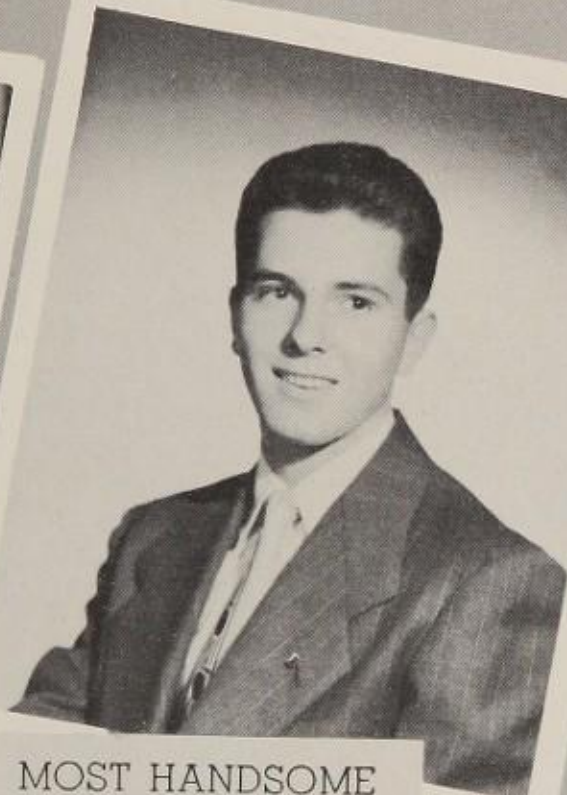
BEST GOLFER
CHARLES NICHOLSON



BEST INTRAMURAL PLAYER
JOHN MANHARDT



BEST ORATOR
FRANK CURRAN

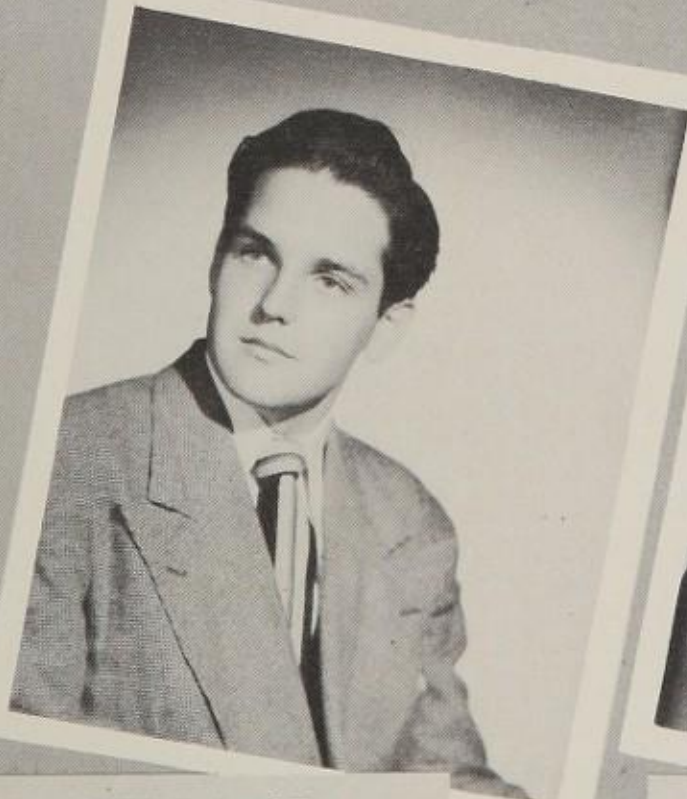


MOST HANDSOME
JOHN GRIMM

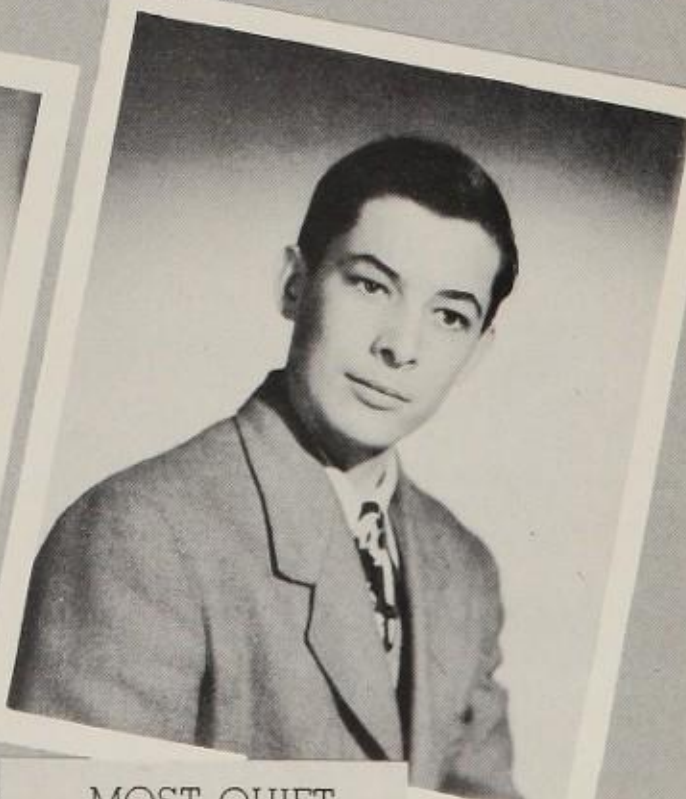


MOST MISCHIEVOUS
CHARLES BELBER

*These
Best*



BEST DANCER
WILLIAM DONAHUE

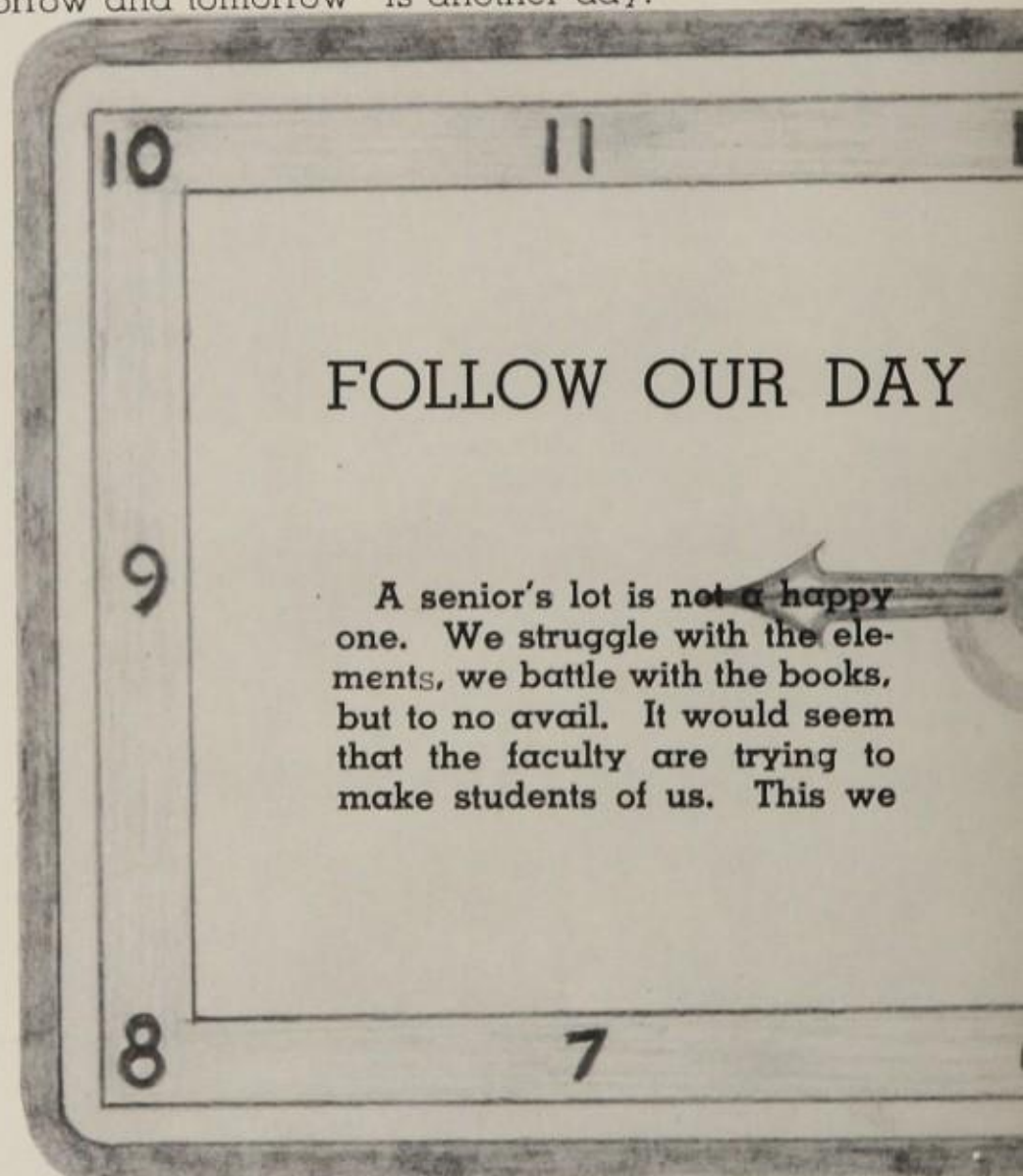


MOST QUIET
FRANCIS SEERY

Study, study, study . . . trying to
make a student of me.



All is forgiven . . . "tomorrow and to-
morrow and tomorrow" is another day.



FOLLOW OUR DAY

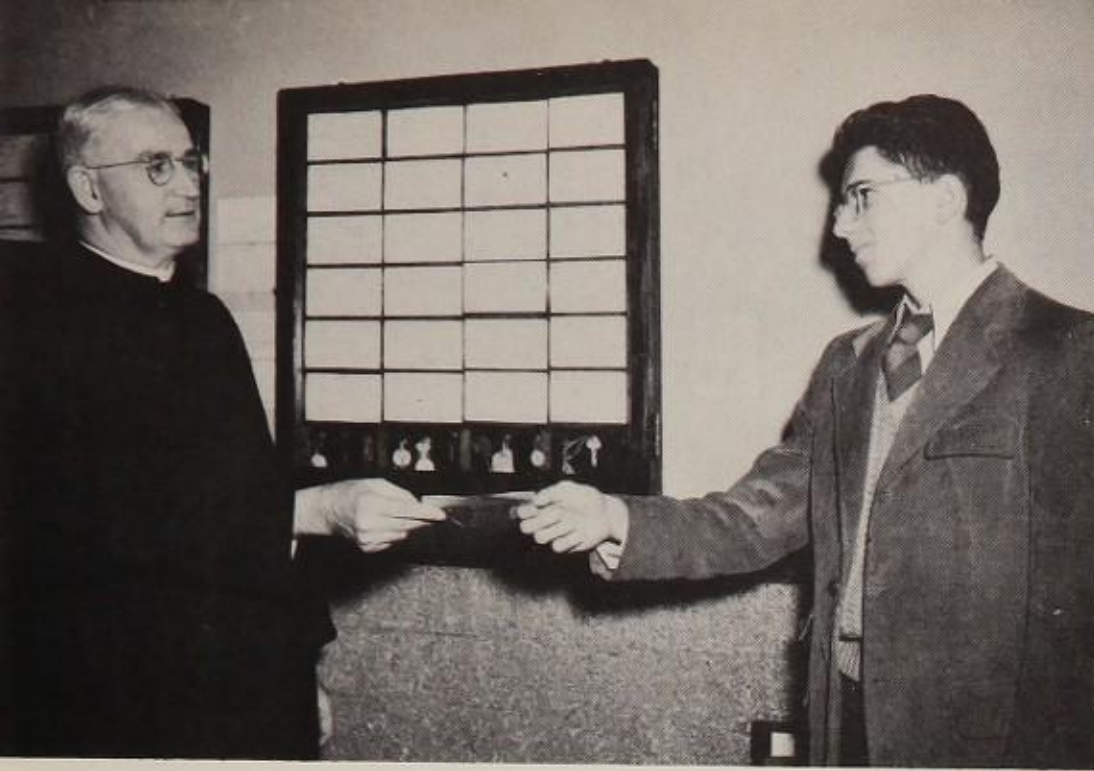
A senior's lot is not a happy
one. We struggle with the ele-
ments, we battle with the books,
but to no avail. It would seem
that the faculty are trying to
make students of us. This we



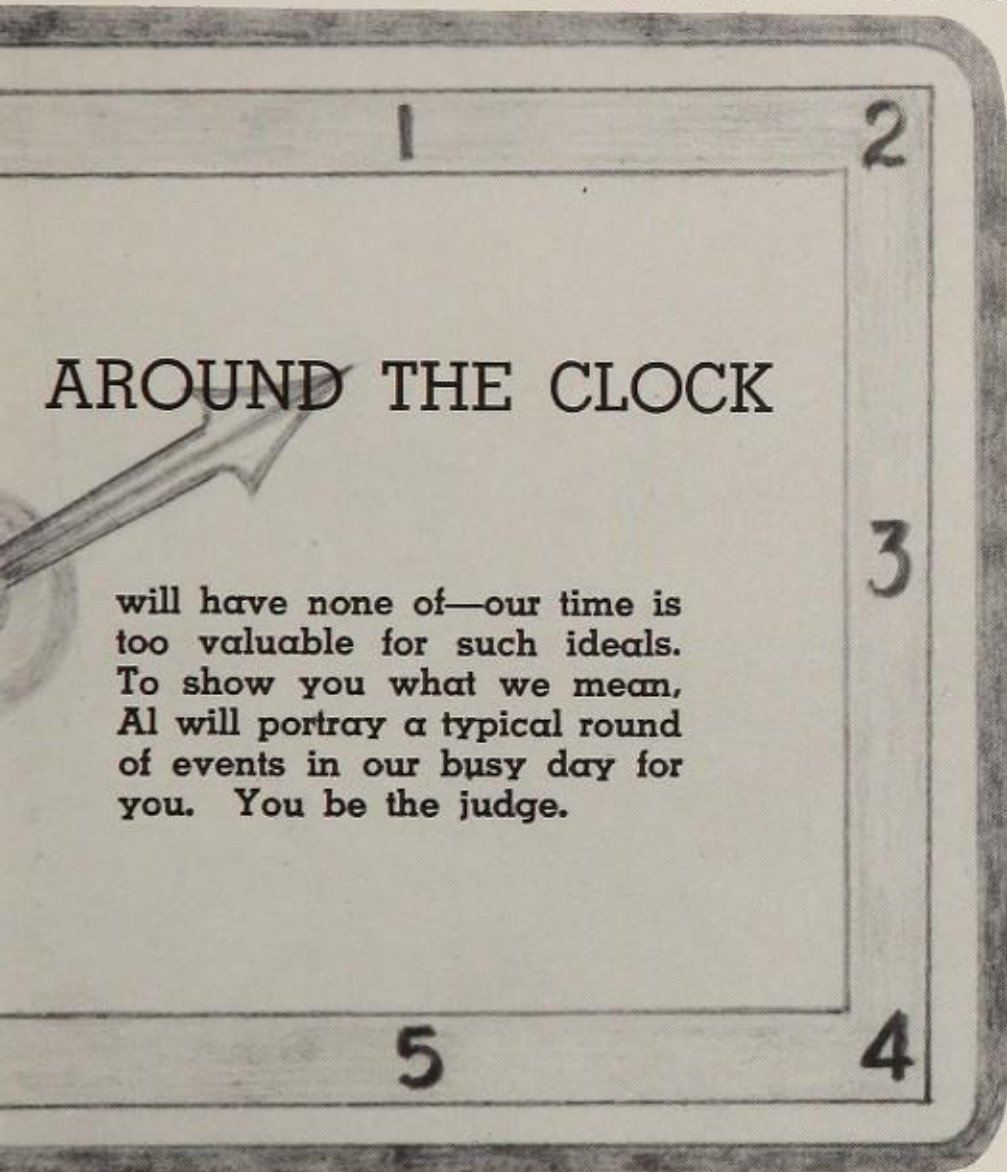
Gym . . . a shower . . . Now the class
can stand me.

Chemical analysis . . . "We'll blow the
place up yet."





9:10 . . . Late again . . . Jug again.



"No Father Headmaster, I didn't do it."



A good English student knows his poetry . . . "Glamis thou art."
(Macbeth)



"Away with thee" . . . "I'll not have you disturbing my class."



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they happily led them back to benign

UNDERCLASSMEN



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It is our privilege to present to you the Underclassmen, the seniors of tomorrow. We have grown to love them as younger brothers who have always been ready to assist us in any undertaking. The Juniors have been an inspiration to us by their class spirit and interest in things Benedict. The Sophs always encouraged us by their interest despite difficulties, while the Frosh still in the throes of fear supported our morale in adversity. We know that all of you will be loyal to Benedict's; that you will carry on always displaying the attitude of a real Gray Bee who is not ashamed of his school, his religion or his country.

influence, human and Christian, to patient labor, to the light of truth

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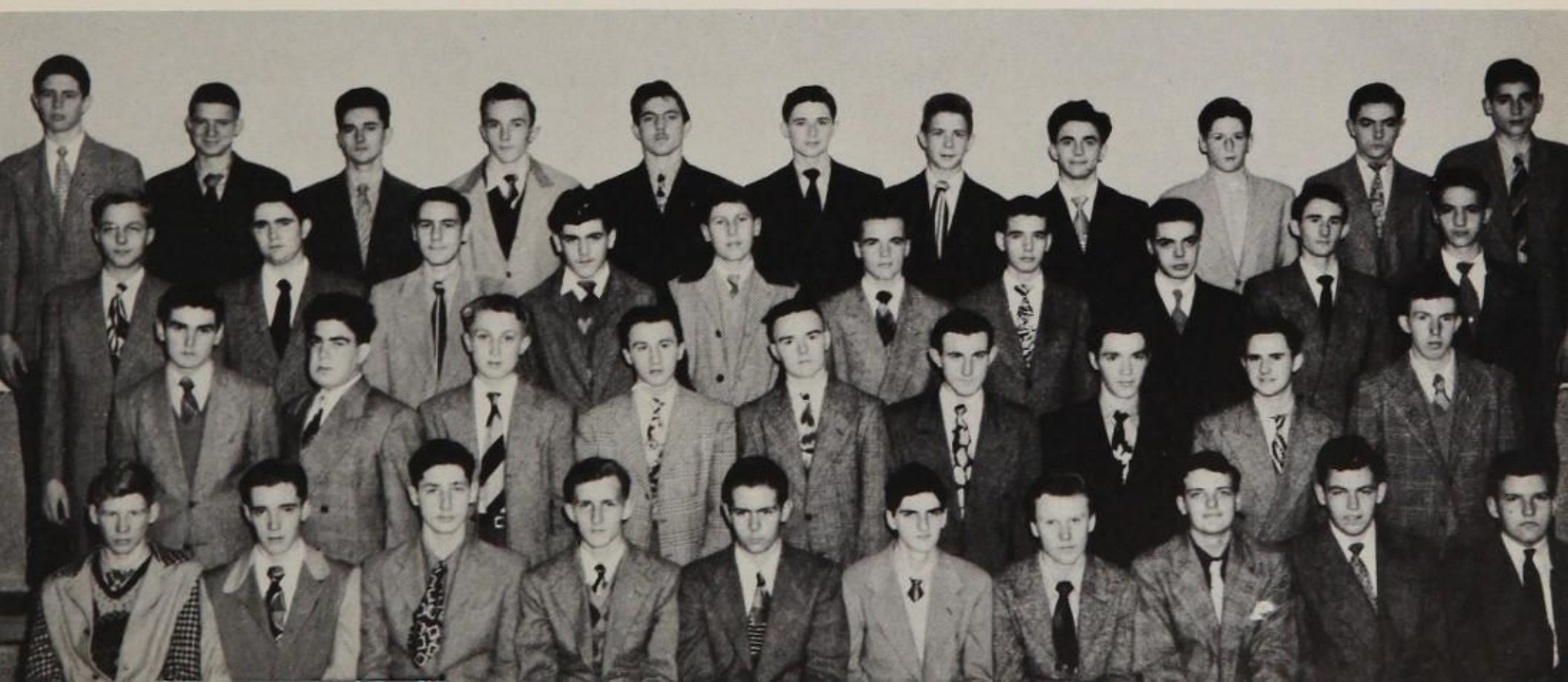
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when holiness and religion are removed

ACTIVITIES



Action?

Members of the Club

Art for Art's Sake

It's cold outdoors.

There must be a girl.

"Down the Narrow stairway."

Recognizing a need for further development of the mind and body, St. Benedict's Prep. has been foremost in encouraging extra-curricular activities for its students. Similarly signifying St. Benedict's varied activities during his life, and in keeping with his rule "Ora et Labora," the numerous organizations and activities play an important part in the lives of the students. Many students have improved themselves by a participation in the literary, scientific, social, musical and athletic programs of the school. These extra-curricular activities are more important to us for they have given us our fondest memories of the Bee Hive.

here follows a life of turmoil and great confusion

The Senior



**FR. TIMOTHY DONS
SANTA'S GIFTS.**

**FR. ABBOT'S
"MESSAGE OF PEACE."**



Each year at Christmas time it is the privilege of the Senior Class to present to the students and the faculty the Annual Christmas Assembly. It was one of the highlights of the year especially as the occasion was graced by the presence of Father Abbot.

Under the direction of John Grimm, Chairman of the Committee, the affair received the plaudits of all. Varsity letters were awarded to the Football and Track teams as part of the program. John McGeehin, the lovable Santa Claus, had gifts for those faculty members and students who had been good during the year. The school band under Father Martin's capable direction furnished the music for the occasion.



**CHRISTMAS
ENTERTAINMENT
COMMITTEE.**

Christmas Assembly



SANTA HAS A TEDDY BEAR FOR PROF.

THE SMALLEST FRESHMAN SANTA COULD FIND FOR FR. ARTHUR.



JOHNNY GRIGGS EXTENDS SEASON'S GREETINGS.



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Fourth Row: T. Healy, R. Manhardt, J. McGeehin, J. Pavlisko, W. Sherry, T. Lavin, J. Healy, J. Cryan, W. Leber, J. Link.

The Editor Talks It Over

Seated: Bob Walsh, Editor; Tim Healy.
Standing: Bob Flanagan, Bill Leber, Jack Hart.



THE 1948 TELOLOG

The Telolog Staff this year is composed of seniors who have shown a desire to work. It was the foremost thought in their minds that the Telolog be a monument to the Class of '48. The complete layout of the volume was made up by Bob Walsh, the Editor-in-Chief, who labored diligently in the task assigned him. Bob Smith, the Business Manager, and Rudy Wickel were instrumental in preparing and efficiently handling the advertising section of the book. Needless to say they handled the financial problems with the ease of big businessmen. The Staff was most cooperative in their advice and interest as it was no easy task for them to labor daily to produce the volume you have before you today. We trust that you will appreciate our efforts.

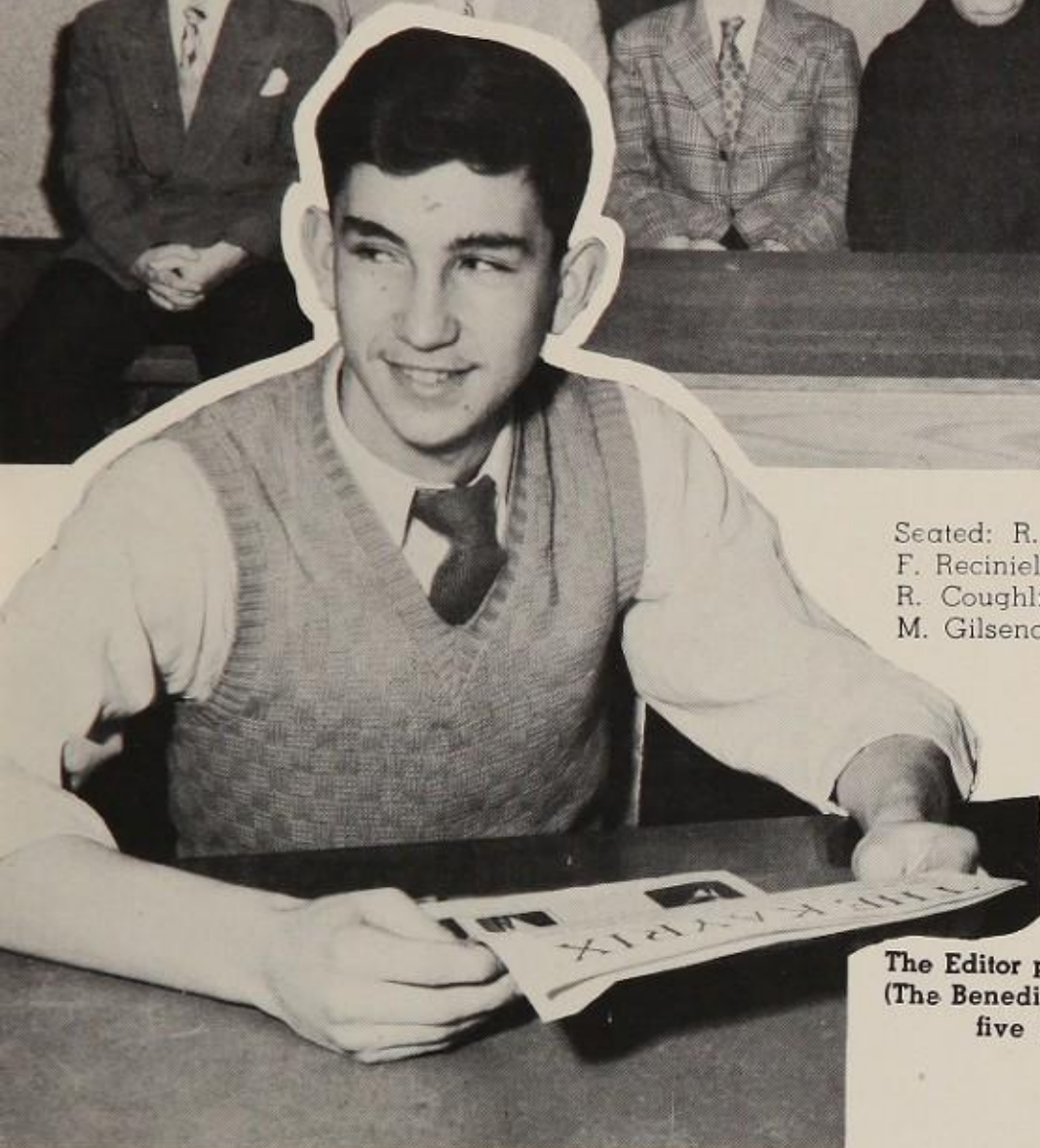
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The Editor peruses the Kayrix.
(The Benedict News of twenty-five years ago.)

BENEDICT NEWS

Under the Moderatorship of Father Kevin, the Benedict News began its seventeenth year of publication, the Editor-in-Chief being Mark Coless. This organ of the student body affords each student an opportunity of journalistic writing as well as the means of perfecting his English composition work.

Assisting Mark Coless were the Associate Editors: Robert Walsh, John Salm and Frank Reciniello. Among the Seniors who were in charge of departments we have: Robert Flanagan—Sound and Fury Column, Joseph Catov—Inquiring Reporter, and Senior Reporters James Cryan and Rudy Wickel.



Planning the next edition.



Broadcasting over WNJR: The Christmas program.

A group of Forum members.

Winners in the State Oratorical Declamation Contest.



N. F. L. District Champion in Extemporaneous Speech.
L. Frank Curran, Jr.

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THE FORUM

St. Benedict's Forum demonstrated again the forensic prowess for which it has long been noted. Under the able direction of its moderator, Father Thomas, O.S.B., the Forum went on to claim numerous state and national honors. William L. Suckey, Jr. was elected president of the New Jersey International Relations Forum, while L. Frank Curran, Jr., a senior, ranked second highest among all the members of the National Forensic League. As usual St. Benedict's was the leading chapter in the New Jersey District of the N.F.L. The Forum highlighted its successful season by the annual banquet, at which Father Thomas distributed awards.





The Supreme Court of the Jeffersonians
F. Reciniello, T. Jameson, T. Healy,
Chief Justice; D. Sweeney, J. Pavlisko.



The Citadel of Democracy



A Party Caucus

R. Smith, J. Healy, President; R. Man-
hardt, H. Gallagher, W. Morrissey,
T. Healy.

JEFFERSONIANS

The Jeffersonians is the only club in the school which limits its membership to seniors. Under the direction of Father Arthur, O.S.B. and of Father Jerome, O.S.B., the Jeffersonians conducted a number of successful social affairs. The club is divided into three divisions, the Supreme Court, the Senate and the House of Representatives. The purpose of the club, which is almost entirely under the supervision of the students, is to promote interest in public and government affairs. The club functions to make history not a thing of the past, but something which is happening all about us, a thing of the present.



Mr. President
James Healy

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Swinging Along Broad Street

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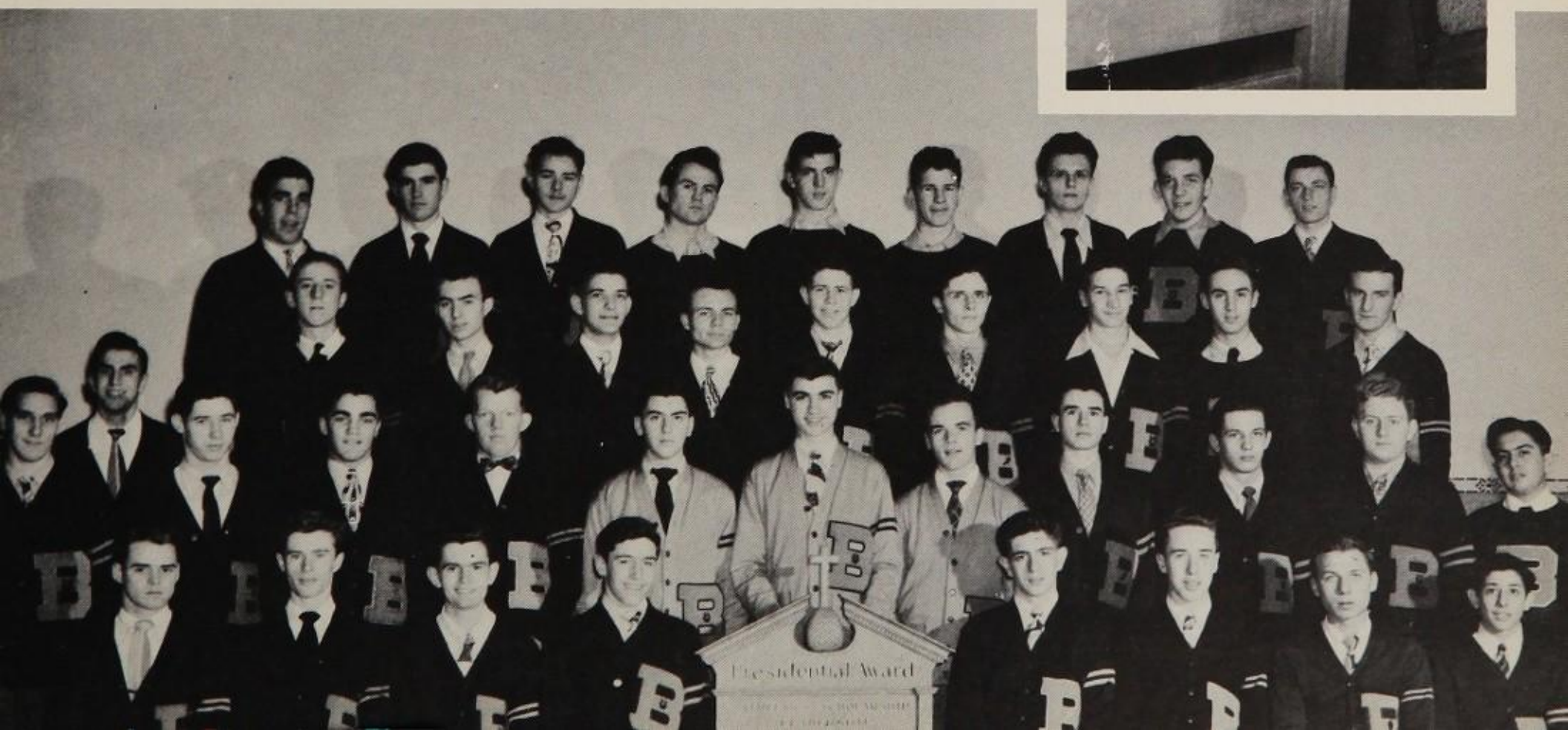
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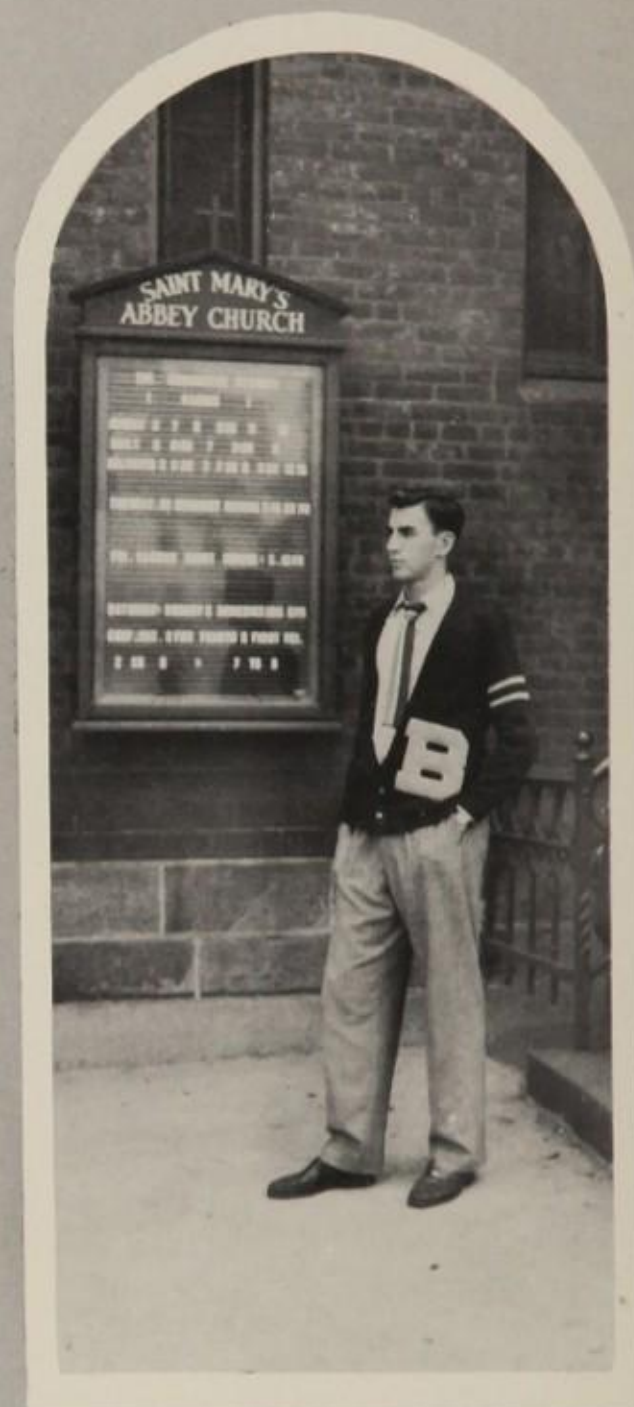
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RELIGIOUS PROGRAM

"THAT IN ALL THINGS, GOD MAY BE GLORIFIED"



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C.S.S.R.

THE RETREAT MASTER AND
THE SENIOR OFFICERS

THE SACRAMENT OF
PENANCE

THE SENIORS CHAT WITH
THE RETREAT MASTER

FATHER LAURENCE CELE-
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In order to develop the whole man mentally, physically, and morally, it is necessary that the spiritual life of the individual be not neglected. To this end, and carrying out the admonition of Our Holy Father Benedict, the Religious Program embodies an outline whereby the student may pursue his scholastic work always mindful of his eternal destiny. Under the capable direction of Father Dunstan, Head of the Religion Department, we have been brought to a more realistic appreciation of the Christian Life.

Each Class attends Mass and receives Holy Communion every month on a day appointed; while an opportunity is given every day to

make use of the Sacrament of Penance. The highlight of the Program this year was the Annual Retreat held in October. It was conducted by the Rev. Thomas Waldron, C.S.S.R. who ably encouraged all to greater heights of perfection. Frequently during the year we were given the opportunity to listen to religious authorities speak on their own field of labor. The Right Rev. Lord Abbot Wilfred Upson, O.S.B. of Prinknash Abbey, England, spoke to us concerning the Benedictine Life in his Abbey. That we may advance daily in the sight of God is the constant prayer of the Monks to whose charge we have been entrusted.

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Oak Knoll cosy corner.

Inaugural Dance Committee.



Intermission.

Dancing at the Senior Inaugural.



Jack and Lorraine.

A snack at the Oak Knoll Social



Let's sit this one out!



Beauty on parade!



"Through these portals."



Winners of the "Spot Dance"



Dance—Ballerina—Dance.



ATHLETIC STAFF

Seated: Mr. Cavanaugh, Father George, Prof. Blood.
 Standing: Mr. Nittoli, Mr. Kasberger, Mr. Ford, Mr. McGlynn, Mr. Cassell.



... Religion alone provides

ATHLETICS



Words of wisdom by Prof.



Practice makes perfect



Rooters in action



Handball enthusiasts

Reilly holds ball for Joe Grum

The Band supports the football team

Here at St. Benedict's athletics play an important part in the life of the student. Varsity football, basketball, baseball, wrestling, and track give to every student the opportunity to develop the qualities of leadership and sportsmanship. The excellent intramural program is an incentive to every student to participate in athletics and prepare for Varsity competition. All Gray Bee teams, whether they win or lose, display a fighting spirit and fair play because they represent the spirit that is St. Benedict's.

Three good reasons for the success of our athletic teams are Kasberger, Cavanaugh and Blood who have the habit of turning out championship teams. Assisted by the other coaches they teach you to play a clean game because it develops your character, loyalty and school spirit as well as your physical prowess. Our athletes are true Benedict men.

support for what is right and honorable . . .

FOOTBALL



First Row, left to right: L. O'Neill, W. Dovell, S. Kaplowitz, A. Garafola, W. Reilly, Joe Grum (Captain), A. Innis, J. Colagreco, R. Deacon, J. Thomas, E. DeVito. Second Row: H. Metz, D. DiPizzo, J. McGarvey, R. Brueno, R. Linnett, J. Ryan, R. Burns, John Grum, E. Lauber, F. Wallace. Third Row: R. Waters, D. Higgins, J. Anderson, R. Sherry, P. Beekman, R. Loughrey, J. Breunig, R. Lasher, J. Stypa, J. Leslie. Fourth Row: T. Confroy, J. Leary, R. Ragold, F. Malizia, A. O'Connor, J. Allen, B. Foley, F. Landgraf, G. O'Connor, F. Sowa (Manager). Fifth Row: L. McGlynn, Joe Kasberger, E. Nittoli.



Captain Joe Grum

Colagreco takes the ball against Newark Academy

Left to right: Assistant Coach Buz McGlynn, Head Coach Joe Kasberger, Assistant Coach Dick DeStefano, Assistant Coach Ed Nittoli.





Deacon gets kickoff against Newark Academy

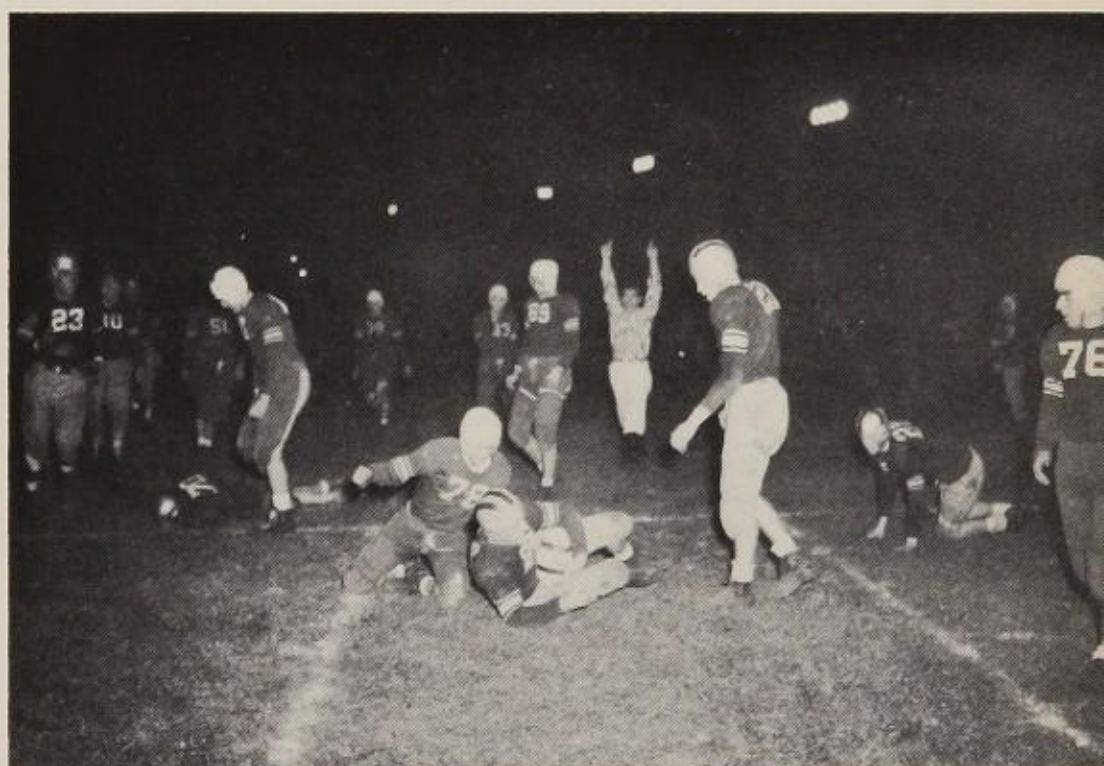


Touchdown

The 1947 St. Benedict's Prep. Football Team was rated as one of the most powerful grid machines in the state. With many seasoned newcomers and veterans, Joe Kasberger and his staff coached the squad through a very successful season, losing but one and tying one. Two of the outstanding players of this respected and feared team, Bob Deacon and Johnny Thomas, were chosen All-State and All Metropolitan. To Joe Kasberger and his Staff we owe a debt of gratitude for the fine coaching; to the Team we owe congratulations for their conquests, their hard fighting and exemplary sportsmanship displayed on the gridiron.

SCHEDULE

			B.	Opp.
Sept. 27	St. Ignatius	Home	48	0
Oct. 2	Marianopolis	Home	6	13
Oct. 10	Trenton Catholic	Home	41	6
Oct. 19	Pope Pius	Home	35	0
Oct. 25	Blair Academy	Blairstown	20	0
Nov. 2	Scranton U. Frosh	Home	39	6
Nov. 7	Newark Academy	Home	25	13
Nov. 22	Carteret	Home	7	7
			221	45



Joe Grum scores against Trenton Catholic

Ray Bruenc pulls down Carteret man



Coach Joe



All eyes on the Carleret game



BASKETBALL



Basketball Captain Jack Feehan



EASTERN PREP SCHOOL CHAMPIONS

First Row: E. Hasher, R. Manhardt, J. McEvoy, J. Feehan, Captain; Coach Prof Blood; J. Lister, J. Colagreco, E. Preston, J. Grimm.
 Second Row: W. Gartner, Ass't Mgr.; A. Tremko, F. Klinger, J. McGeehin, W. Flynn, J. Blewitt, F. Wallace, J. Salm, Mgr.
 Third Row: R. Esposito, R. Higgins, W. Taylor.



Coach Prof Blood

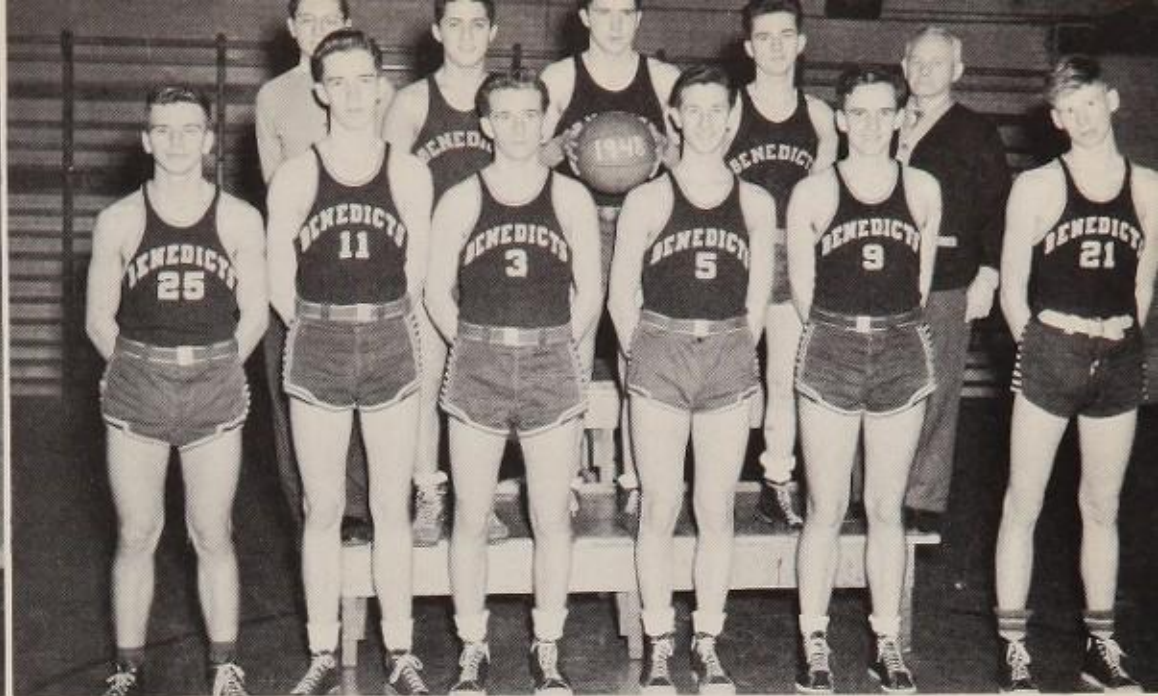
The Bees score on Newark Academy

Joe McEvoy taps one in





Dick Manhardt warms up before the St. Mary's game.



THE J. V. BASKETBALL TEAM

First Row: A Tremko, F. Klinger, J. McGeehin, W. Flynn, J. Blewitt, F. Wallace.

Second Row: W. Gartner, Mgr.; R. Esposito, R. Higgins, W. Taylor, Coach Prof Blood.

Under the successful coaching of Prof Blood, and led by Captain Jack Feehan, the Gray Bee basketball team experienced a very successful season winning fifteen of the eighteen games played. Early in the season the team proved that they were another high-scoring Benedict aggregation. Fine playing by Feehan, Lister, McEvoy, Thomas, Colagreco, Grimm, Preston, McGeehin, and Blewitt accounted for many of the triumphs that the team recorded. The season was highlighted by wins over Newark Academy, La Salle, and Montclair Academy.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

			B.	Opp.
Dec.	16	Montclair Academy	Home	72 44
"	19	Alumni	Home	78 43
Jan.	9	Weehawken H. S.	Away	49 54
"	13	St. Mary's H. S.	Home	89 53
"	16	Carteret School	Home	51 52
"	23	Newark Academy	Away	51 38
"	28	East Side H. S.	Home	59 41
"	30	John Marshall J. V.	Home	72 54
Feb.	3	St. Mary's H. S.	Away	38 43
"	4	La Salle M. A.	Home	48 30
"	7	Newark Academy	Home	62 35
"	9	Scuth Side H. S.	Home	69 42
"	10	Montclair Academy	Away	53 41
"	13	Central H. S.	Away	53 39
"	17	Rutgers Prep	Home	56 49
"	23	Carteret School	Away	43 47
"	25	Bordentown M. I.	Away	63 29
Mar.	2	La Salle M. A.	Away	47 42

Eastern Prep School Tournament (Semi Finals)

Carteret School - 44 — St. Benedict's - 49

Finals

Collegiate Prep - 28 — St. Benedict's - 74

Getting it off the board at the East Side game.



Warming up for Montclair Academy.



Gene Preston sinks one.



Captain of the
Indoor Track Team
Matt O'Gorman



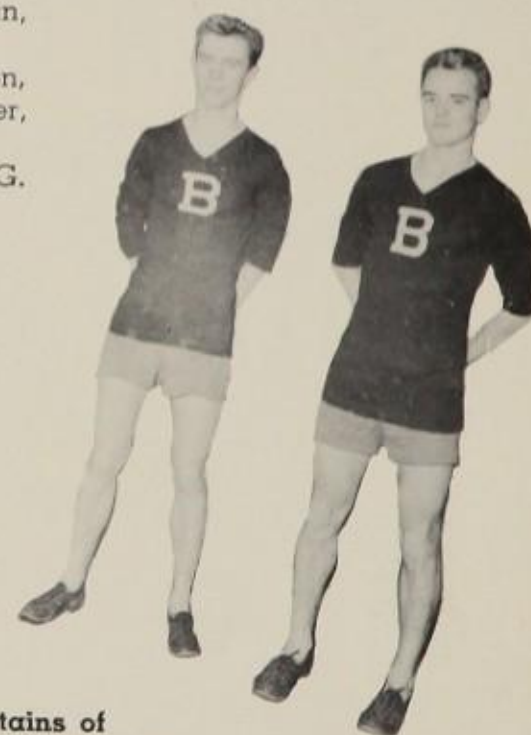
INDOOR TRACK TEAM

First Row: R. Freeman, J. Conlon, R. Griggs, J. Dwyer, M. O'Gorman, Captain; J. Jevink, W. Reilly, J. Castagna, G. Liddy.
Second Row: A. Weller, Mgr.; R. Leonhardt, J. Mooney, J. Fitzgibbon, P. Carroll, J. McNiece, M. Flynn, E. Hartung, E. Leahy, R. Keller, R. Mayer, Mgr.
Third Row: E. Fuchs, M. Higgins, Mr. J. Cavanaugh, Coach; G. Obester, T. Curran.

This year the track season at Benedict's got off to a fine start. Under the capable leadership of coaches Mr. Cavanaugh and Tom Weiner the tracksters gained state and national honors. Led by co-captains Johnny Griggs and Johnny Dwyer the cross-country team was crowned State Prep School Champions. For the first time since the war years Benedict's fielded an indoor track team. This team enjoyed a very successful season, being invited to compete in state and national meets. We salute the track teams of the Bee Hive, "True Champions."

CROSS COUNTRY PREP STATE CHAMPS

First Row: R. Freeman, J. Griggs, J. Dwyer, J. Conlon, J. Fitzgibbon.
Second Row: Mr. J. Cavanaugh, Coach; T. Curran, G. Liddy, P. Carroll, F. Reciniello, Mgr.



Co-Captains of
Cross Country Track Team
John Dwyer and John Griggs

Track Team Coach
Mr. James Cavanaugh



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First Row: P. Fletcher, J. McGill, A. Anderson, T. Confroy, W. Donovan, Captain; R. Confessore, J. Stypa, E. Reilly, C. Gaetano.
Second Row: R. Walsh, M. Dalton, V. Waldron, J. Dunn, W. Sheehan, G. O'Connor, T. Hofbauer, J. Gattorna, H. Schmid, T. Pruchnicki, J. Juliana.
Third Row: Mr. E. Nittoli, Coach; P. Jackas, N. Conforti, H. Krug, R. Smith, T. Leonhardt, A. A. Cantabene, E. Stanley, J. Catov, Mgr.
Fourth Row: W. Rock, J. Leary, R. Sherry, H. Smith, F. Bock, T. Healy, J. Farrell, U. Lejeune, G. Levesque.



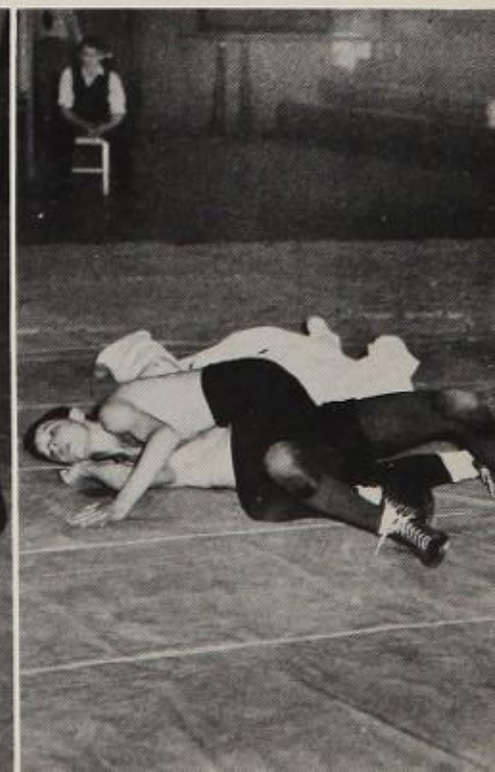
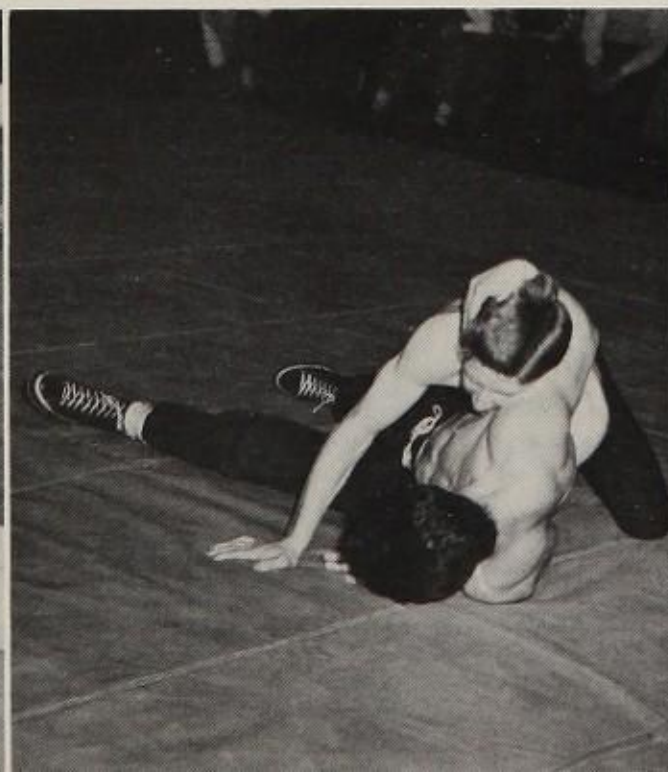
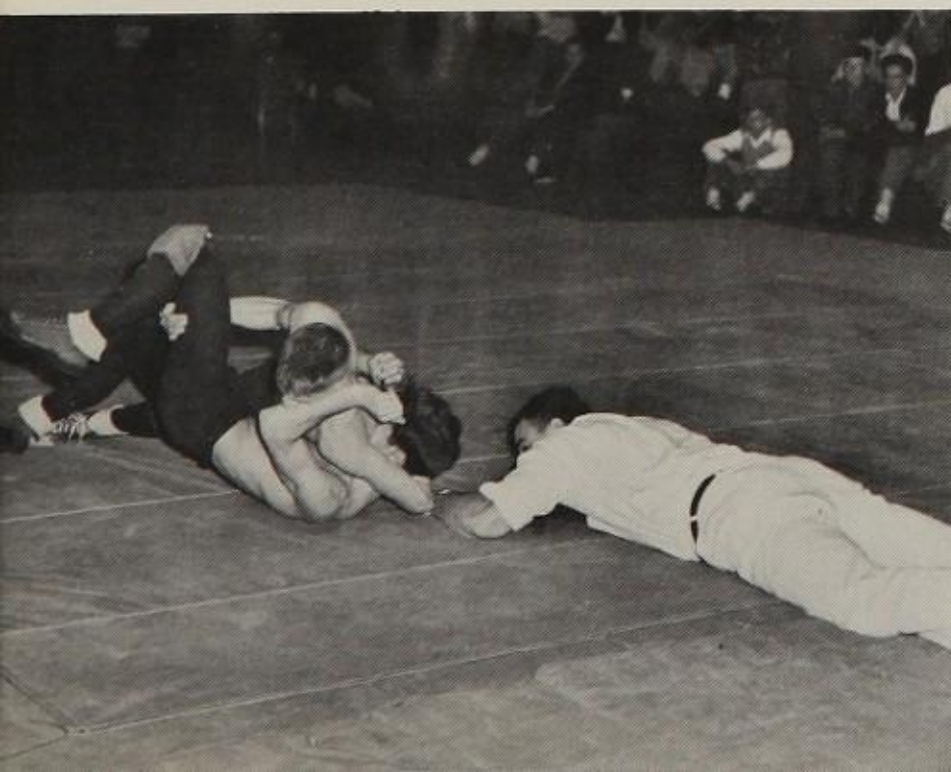
Coach of the Wrestling Team
Mr. Edward Nittoli

This year brought about the addition of a new Varsity sport at the "Bee Hive." Because of the great interest shown last season, wrestling has now become a "letter getter." Last year the mat-men operated strictly on an intramural basis, for the purpose of training and developing a team for this year. Coach Ed Nittoli booked six contests for the grapplers' initial season, four away and two at home. Walter Donovan, a third year man was given the distinction of being elected captain of the first "Gray Bee" wrestling team. The squad is made up mostly of underclassmen who are expected to develop into top-notch performers in a few years. Congratulations to the grapplers on a most successful season.

Donovan pins his opponent

Sherry gaining the advantage

Pete Fletcher pins a Jeff



W R E S T L I N G



Captain of Baseball Team
LeRoy O'Neill



1947 BASEBALL TEAM

Seated: R. O'Gara, H. Newhard, C. Dennis, J. Downey, L. Neill, Captain; J. Feehan, H. Durkin, W. Conn, J. Dougherty.
Standing: J. Cassell, Ass't Coach; V. Kawalec, W. Degnen, W. Downey, J. Breunig, Joe Kasberger, Head Coach; A. Russo, J. Grum, G. Lister, W. Reilly, L. McGlynn, Ass't Coach.



Head Baseball Coach
Joe Kasberger

Great baseball teams with Joe Kasberger as coach have become part of the tradition of St. Benedict's. Last year's team was undefeated in eighteen games and was proclaimed State Prep. School Champions. John Dougherty was the standout pitcher, twirling a no-hitter at the expense of Newark Tech. This year's team has another tough schedule to combat but with Coach Joe Kasberger at the helm and "returnees" Kawalec, Durkin, O'Neill, Feehan, and Manhardt, another banner year is in the offing.

1947 BASEBALL

1947 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

			B.	Opp.
April	15	Newark Academy	Away	17 0
"	18	Carteret School	Home	1 0
"	21	Montclair Academy	Home	11 1
"	23	Admiral Farragut	Away	9 1
"	26	St. Mary's (Ruth.)	Home	12 4
"	28	Newark Tech	Home	12 1
May	6	Newark Academy	Home	7 1
"	7	Pope Pius	Away	2 1
"	9	La Salle M. A.	Away	7 5
"	10	St. Mary's (Ruth.)	Home	17 6
"	13	Newark Tech	Home	10 1
"	16	Pope Pius	Home	8 1
"	17	Blair Academy	Away	13 3
"	23	Montclair Academy	Away	6 0
"	24	Bordentown M. I.	Away	2 1
"	27	East Orange H. S.	Home	5 0
"	30	Central H. S.	Home	6 3
"	31	St. Mary's (Eliz.)	Away	7 1
			152	30

GOLF

Seated: J. Farrell, C. Nicholson, Captain; M. Higgins.
Standing: R. Ragold, Father Leo, Coach; P. Beekman.





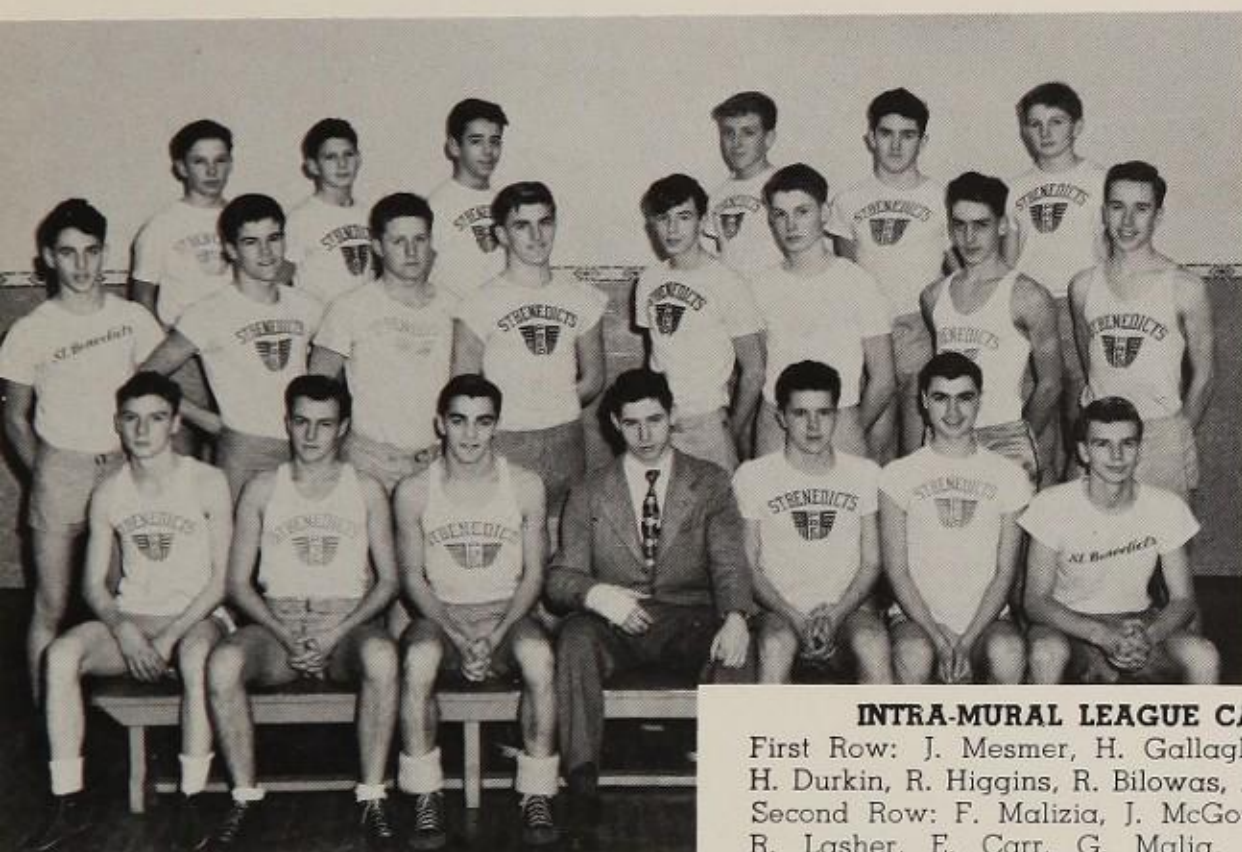
FRESHMAN BASKETBALL

First Row: R. Hewson, W. Sheedy, W. O'Connell, B. McGarry, Mr. Cassell, Coach; D. Hayes, E. Carr, E. Costenbader, R. Thomson.

Second Row: W. Andrews, Mgr.; V. Gruskiewicz, J. Osbahr, R. Nolan, W. Boland, H. Yessman, J. Dougherty, T. McCue, J. Roesch, Ass't Mgr.; J. Plath, Ass't Mgr.

Third Row: J. O'Connor, E. Sidley, B. Finan, E. Brennan, W. Westhead, H. Cray, B. Lee, C. LaVia, W. Aires.

Fourth Row: F. Verian, M. Shermond, J. McGowan, A. Batty, G. Britting, G. Healey, T. Moore.



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First Row: J. Mesmer, H. Gallagher, W. Reilly, H. Durkin, R. Higgins, R. Bilowas, A. Tremko.

Second Row: F. Malizia, J. McGowan, T. Reilly, R. Lasher, E. Carr, G. Malia, H. Morsch, J. Fitzgibbon.

Third Row: D. Mulcahey, G. Hewson, H. Carr, G. Healey, J. Dougherty, R. Hewson.



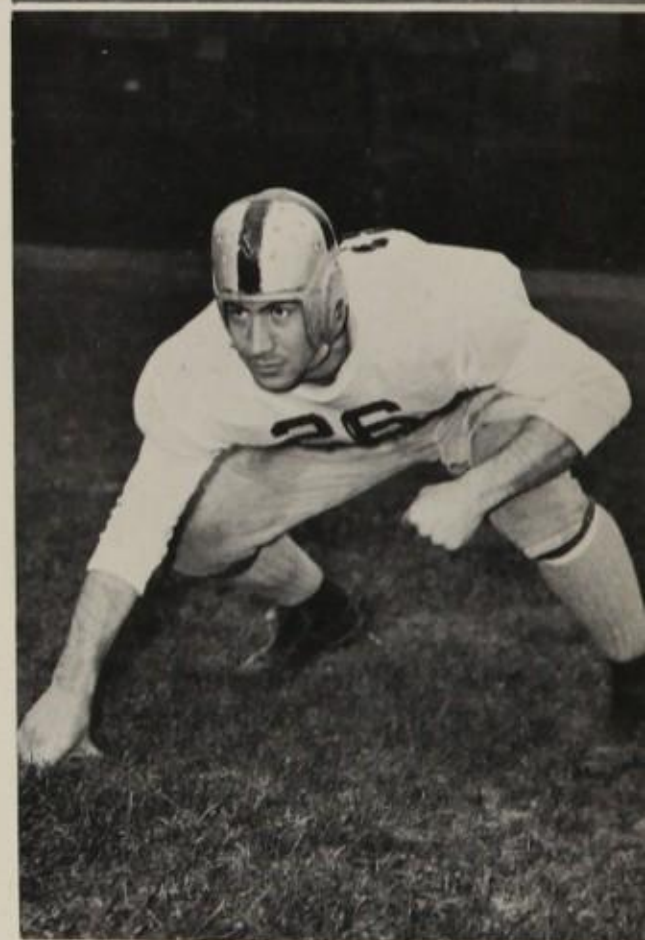
Intramural League
Moderator
Father Anthony



SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL TEAM

First Row: R. Keller, T. Reilly, R. Lasher, Mr. L. McGlynn, Coach; R. Sherry, J. Kirby, J. Dunphy.

Second Row: C. Meechan; J. Monahan, R. Evans, J. Crawford, G. Hewson, J. McGovern, W. Mahanna, J. Adelheim, J. Bayer.



CHEER SQUAD
 First Row: J. Gruskiewicz, C. Gaetano, J. Cunningham.
 Second Row: A. Anderson, P. Shepherd, B. Starkey.





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We take leave of our Alma Mater, "Ever Dear St. Benedict's"; fortified by the precepts of St. Benedict we enter a troubled world.





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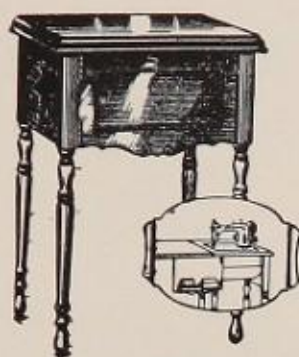
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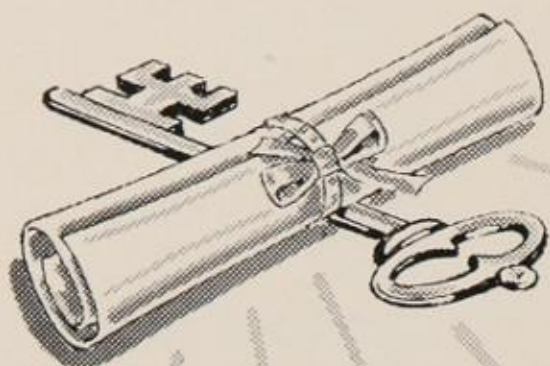
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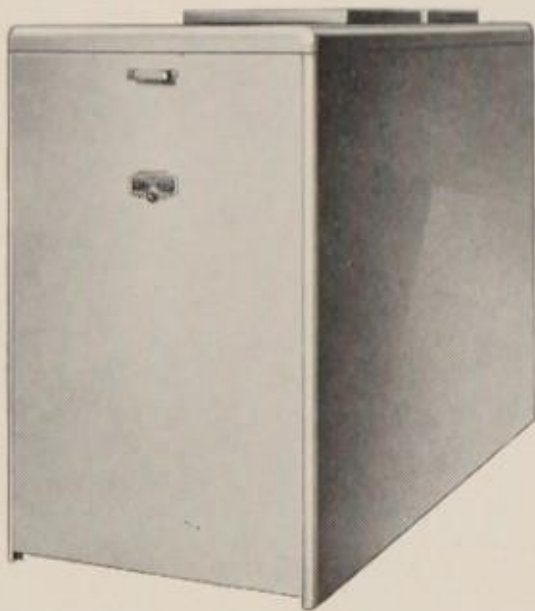
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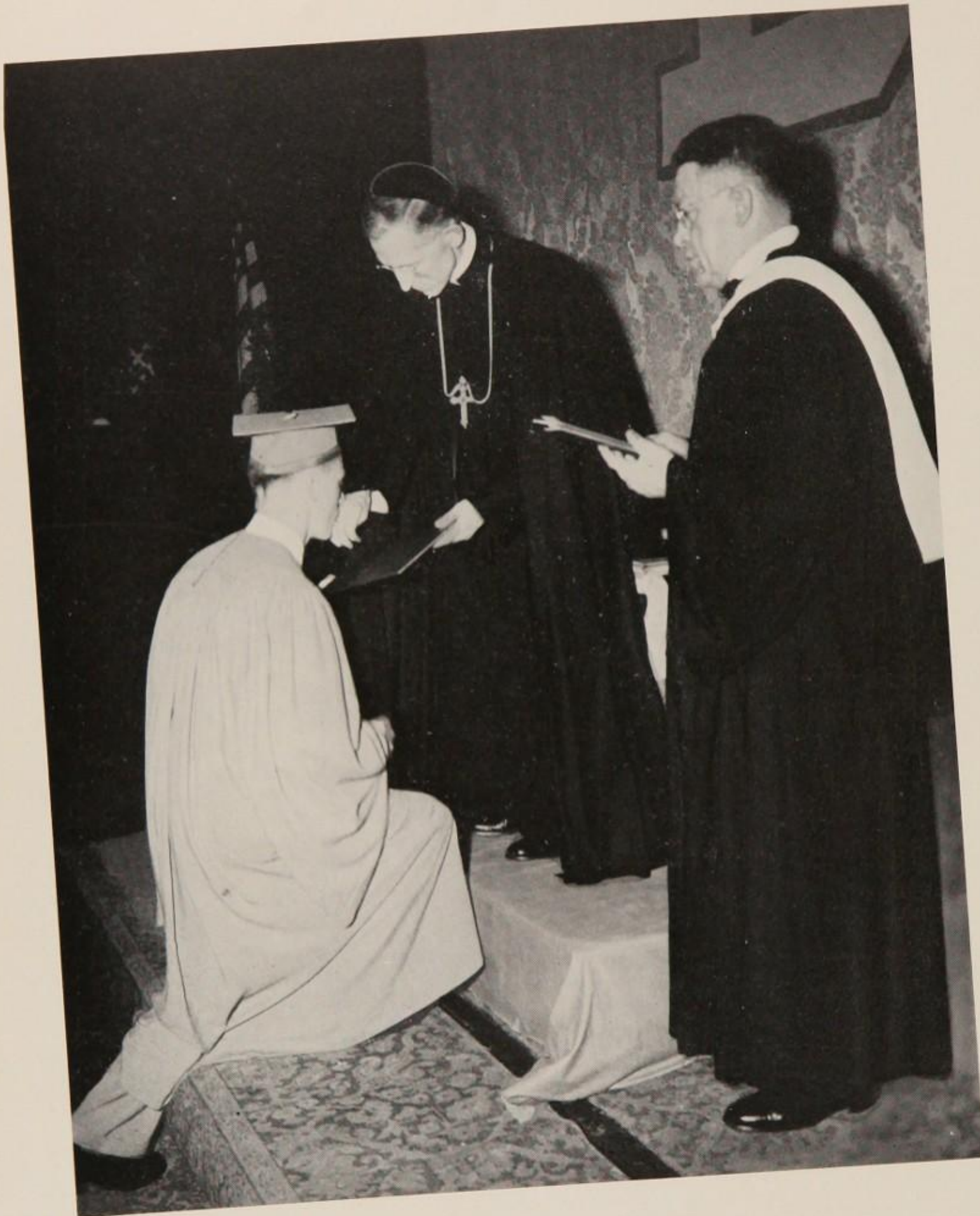
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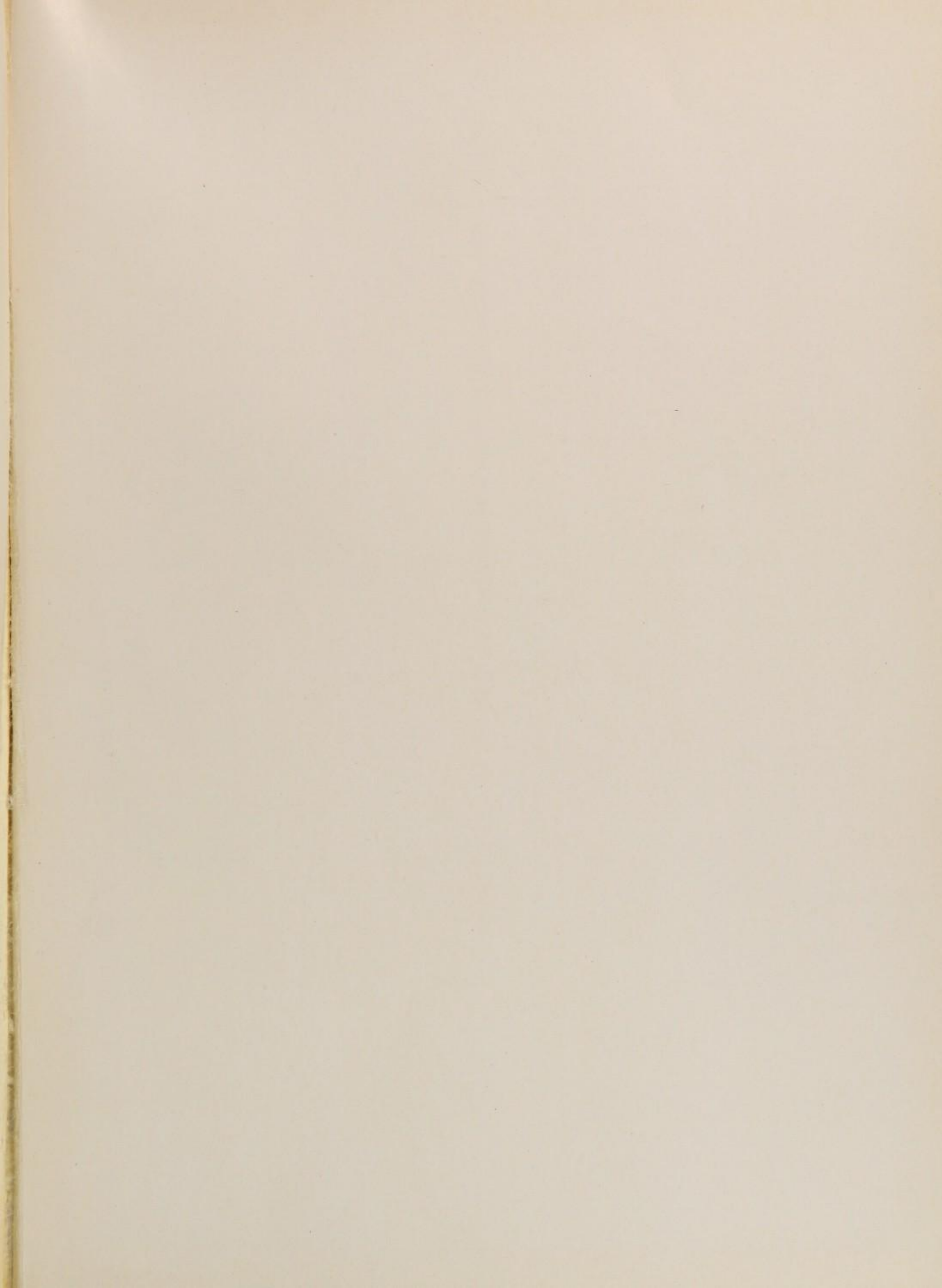
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